

# 2023 Erath 4<sup>th</sup> of July Queen's Pageant

## Saturday, May 27, 2023 at 6:30PM

### Senior Divisions (Miss, Ms, & Teen)

We are thrilled that you are interested in participating in our pageant as a contestant. We hope that this is an enjoyable experience and we look forward to getting to meet you. Below is some information about the pageant so that you will know what to expect.

**ENTRY FEE: Senior Divisions Contestants (Miss, Ms, & Teen) - \$80.00**

Contracts are available to view on the website with the forms. Queens will sign a contract following the crowning. Please review the requirements and expectations below.

**DEADLINE: Final entry deadline is TUESDAY, MAY 23, 2023 at 6:00PM.** Forms will be accepted digitally with online payment at [www.erath4.com](http://www.erath4.com) or can be mailed to: Erath 4<sup>th</sup> of July Queen's Pageant, P.O. Box 182, Erath, LA 70533  
The Pageant Entry Fee is a donation to the Erath 4th of July Association and is not refundable after the deadline date.

#### QUALIFICATIONS/EXPECTATIONS:

- **All contestants** must be single, never married, born a woman and live in Louisiana.
- **All Birthdays must be on or before May 27, 2023.**
- **Contestants may not hold any title** (other than school related). Queens may not compete for any other title other than school and LAFF Queen of Queens.
- **All Queens** must be willing to take part in events throughout the year as determined by the Directors of this contest.
- **All Queens** must attend events such as: TV appearance (if any), the Festival Fais Do Do Night on July 3<sup>rd</sup>, make themselves available for the entire day of the 4<sup>th</sup> of July for events such as the Grand Marshal's Reception, ride in the parade on a float provided by the Association, radio and television appearances, etc. The Queens' schedule of events will be coordinated by the Directors of this pageant. Final details of some events may not have been available as of the printing of this form and will be made available as soon as possible.
- **All Queens** (and parents) must sign a contract detailing responsibilities and requirements.
- **Appropriate clothing** and conduct will be maintained whenever representing the Association. This includes the consumption of alcoholic beverages and smoking.

**ORIENTATION/REHEARSAL: Thursday, May 25<sup>th</sup> at 6:00PM** Erath Community Building, City Park Drive  
*Please note that your contestant number will be chosen through a drawing by the contestants during rehearsal.*

#### AGE GROUPS:

**Teen Miss 4<sup>th</sup> of July:** 14, 15, & 16 years of age (single, no children, never married)

**Ms. 4<sup>th</sup> of July:** 24 years or older (single, married, or divorced)

**Miss 4<sup>th</sup> of July:** 17 – 23 years of age (single, no children, never married)

#### INTERVIEW:

**TIME:** 11:00AM **LOCATION:** Poche' Home, 606 E. Derouen Street, Erath **ATTIRE: Interview:** Suit

#### PAGEANT:

**TIME:** 6:30PM **LOCATION:** Erath Community Building, City Park Drive **ATTIRE:** Age appropriate Long Formal  
\*Contestants should come dressed. There are no dressing rooms available, only bathroom facilities which must be kept clear at all times. Curling Irons, hot rollers and such devices may not be used in the building! Contestants competing from out of town may want to consider one of the local hotels but must make their own arrangements.

**\*Teen, Ms, & Miss Contestants will give a 30 second on stage introduction and will have a quick on-stage discussion.**

#### DOOR ADMISSION: \$5.00 or \$8.00 Bracelet

\* ADMISSION IS TO BE PAID BY EVERYONE EXCEPT THE CONTESTANT \*

\$5.00 admission allows you into just one pageant. The \$8 bracelet allows you admission to ALL of the pageants that day...

Baby (9:00AM), Junior Divisions (3:30PM), and Senior Divisions (6:30PM)

\*Concessions will be available for purchase.

**AWARDS: All Queens** will be presented with: Crown, Banner, award, and will ride in the 4th of July Parade upon a float provided by the Association. Upon the completion of her contracted duties for the year, the Miss Queen will be presented with a \$500 Scholarship and up to \$500 reimbursement on gas for festival travels. (see contract for details)

**First Runner Up and Maid** will receive a medallion; in addition, court members will ride in the 4th of July parade on a float provided by the Association.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:** Email [Erath4thofJuly@gmail.com](mailto:Erath4thofJuly@gmail.com) or call Nicole at 337-224-9465 or Hannah 337-517-0210

All information must be typed or printed out. Use only space provided, do not use extra sheets.

A copy of this form will be shared with all judges.

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<b>CATEGORY (CIRCLE ONE)</b>		<b>TEEN</b> (14,15 & 16 YEARS*) (Single, no children, never married)	<b>MISS</b> (17 ~ 23 YEARS*) (Single, no children, never married)	<b>MS</b> (24 YEARS or older) (Single, married, or divorced)	<b>NO:</b>
<b>CONTESTANT NAME:</b> (AS YOU WANT IT ANNOUNCED)				<b>AGE:</b>	
<b>HOME TOWN:</b> (AS YOU WANT IT ANNOUNCED)				<b>BIRTH DATE:</b> *(Miss 4th may not be 24 by 12/31/22)	
<b>MAILING ADDRESS:</b>			<b>CITY:</b>		
<b>ST: Louisiana</b>	<b>ZIP:</b>	<b>HOME PHONE</b>		<b>OTHER PHONE</b>	
<b>E-MAIL ADDRESS:</b>					
<b>SPONSORED BY:</b> (PARENTS, FESTIVAL, COMPANY, ETC.)					
<b>PARENTS:</b> (AS YOU WANT THEM ANNOUNCED)					
<b>HAIR COLOR:</b>		<b>EYE COLOR:</b>		<b>HEIGHT:</b>	
<b>SCHOOL:</b>			<b>GRADE LEVEL:</b>		
<b>FAVORITE SUBJECT:</b>			<b>MAJOR:</b>		
<b>EMPLOYED BY:</b>			<b>POSITION:</b>		
<b>HOBBIES:</b>					
<b>AMBITION:</b>					
<b>CLUBS/ORGANIZATIONS:</b>					
<b>MY GREATEST ACCOMPLISHMENT THUS FAR IS:</b>					
<b>What does Red, White and Blue Mean to me:</b>					