



# Erath 4<sup>th</sup> of July Festival

## **RULES & REGULATIONS LITTLE MISS, YOUNG MISS, JUNIOR MISS QUEEN CONTRACT**

### I. REQUIREMENTS

- a. The LITTLE MISS ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY QUEEN must be between the ages of 5-7 and a resident of Louisiana. The YOUNG MISS ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY QUEEN must be between the ages 8-10 and a resident of Louisiana. The JUNIOR MISS ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY QUEEN must be between the ages 11-13 and a resident of Louisiana.
- b. The LITTLE, YOUNG AND JUNIOR MISS ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY QUEEN must not hold any other titles, other than school, and may not enter any pageant of any kind.

### II. RULES AND REGULATIONS

- a. The LITTLE, YOUNG and JUNIOR MISS ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY QUEEN is not just a title, it is an honor that comes with a responsibility and a commitment. For one year, you not only represent the ERATH 4<sup>th</sup> OF JULY Association and Festival, but also the community of Erath as their ambassador at various functions, festivals, pageants. The ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY QUEEN is to treat everyone with kindness and respect and always conduct herself with dignity and integrity.
- b. In the event the LITTLE, YOUNG and JUNIOR MISS ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY QUEEN accepts an invitation to an event, she must be present during the entire event as called for in the invitation except in cases of illness, death, or the express permission of the inviting director.
- c. LITTLE, YOUNG and JUNIOR MISS ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY QUEEN is expected to be dressed appropriately. No jeans or Shorts unless the invitation specifically calls for it. We expect you to always look and act your best. It is the directors' decision (not your parents/grandparents) if your outfit is inappropriate, and their decision is final.
- d. LITTLE, YOUNG and JUNIOR MISS ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY QUEEN is expected to always act in a lady-like manner. Any conduct unbecoming to a queen while she is representing this festival will be grounds for immediate dismissal.
- e. LITTLE, YOUNG and JUNIOR MISS ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY QUEEN is responsible for the maintenance and upkeep of her crown and banner. ERATH 4<sup>th</sup> OF JULY QUEENS will NOT make their own "PLAY BANNER" or "FORMAL BANNER" or any other BANNER or CROWN other than the one awarded without the permission of the Queen's Committee/Pageant Directors.
- f. If any of the above rules are broken, the consequences are at the discretion of the directors. The consequences may include but are not limited to a meeting with festival board and removal of title.

III. APPEARANCES

- a. LITTLE, YOUNG and JUNIOR MISS ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY QUEEN agrees to spend June 30<sup>th</sup> – July 4<sup>th</sup> participating in various events at the ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY FESTIVAL
- b. LITTLE, YOUNG and JUNIOR MISS ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY QUEEN is expected to attend a minimum of 5 LAFF Festivals.
- c. LITTLE, YOUNG and JUNIOR MISS ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY QUEEN should attend town functions she is invited to, including but not limited to the Christmas in Erath.
- d. LITTLE, YOUNG and JUNIOR MISS ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY QUEEN agrees to allow the ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY FESTIVAL to use her information and photographs to promote the festival.
- e. LITTLE, YOUNG and JUNIOR MISS ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY QUEEN agrees the ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY FESTIVAL and pageant directors are not responsible for loss of personal belongings, accidents, or illnesses during her travels.
- f. LITTLE, YOUNG and JUNIOR MISS ERATH 4<sup>TH</sup> OF JULY QUEEN must inform the Queen’s Committee a minimum of 48 hours in advance if she is going to attend an event and represent the festival.

The Queen’s Committee/Pageant Directors must clear up any exceptions to the above rules in writing.

I have read the above and foregoing contract and fully understand the terms and conditions thereof. By signing below, I indicate my desire to accept those terms and conditions and be bound by them.

If I break any of the above rules, I agree to forfeit the title and return the crown, banner, and gifts to the Erath 4<sup>th</sup> of July Association immediately.

\_\_\_\_\_ (Print Name)  
Erath’s \_\_\_\_\_ Miss 4<sup>th</sup> of July Festival Queen

\_\_\_\_\_ (Signature) \_\_\_\_\_ date  
Erath’s \_\_\_\_\_ Miss 4<sup>th</sup> of July Festival Queen

\_\_\_\_\_ date  
Parent or Guardian

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Queen's Committee/Director  
Nicole DesOrmeaux (337) 224-9465

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Queen's Committee/Director  
Theresa Touchet (337) 257-1994

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Queen's Committee/Director  
Amber Viator (337) 501-3650

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