



PRETEEN BEAUTY PAGEANT

August 4, 2019 at 5:00 P.M.

Early Entry form and fee due: Submitted by August 1st, 2019

12-13 Years \$25 + \$2.00 processing fee

Entry form and fee due: NIGHT OF PAGEANT BY 5:00 PM

10-12 Years \$50

Rules & How to Enter

1. All contestants **MUST BE** at the fairgrounds and checked in by 3:30 P.M. for rehearsal. Attire for rehearsal is up to the contestant, this is not a judged category but is open to the public. After rehearsal, contestants will be dismissed to change and prepare for the pageant that will begin at 5:00 P.M.
2. Entry forms are available at www.bentoncountyfairar.org
3. HOW TO ENTER
 - a. **NEW!!!** From now until August 1st you will have the opportunity to submit your entry form and payment online!! Once early registration has ended, you must bring your entry form to the door with your \$50 entry fee, NO EXCEPTIONS.
 - b. For the early registration, you must register and pay online **by August 1st** to receive the discount, **NO EXCEPTIONS.** It will be \$25 and there is a \$2.00 processing fee. You will also click the link in "Tips" to have access to the entry form, please fill this out. ***If you are entering more than one person online-select "Quick Group" this way you only have to pay the processing fee one time!***
 - i. **Early registration website** is <https://bentonar.fairwire.com>
 - ii. Check in for early registration will end at 3:30 pm, NO EXCEPTIONS. If you are not checked in by this time you will be disqualified and unable to receive a refund for your entry fee.
 - c. At the door registration will be open on August 4th. This is **ONLY OPEN FROM 2:30-3:30 PM.** Please come with your \$50 entry fee and completed paperwork. At 3:30 pm, registration will be OFFICIALLY CLOSED, NO EXCEPTIONS. If you show up after 3:30pm, you will NOT be allowed to compete. NO EXCEPTIONS.
 - d. **DO NOT MAIL YOUR FORM TO THE FAIRGROUNDS.**
4. Only contestants are allowed in free. You must show your contestant completed pageant entry form to the gate personnel to be allowed to enter free. (Unless the fair is having sponsored admission-then it is free for everyone).
5. All contestants will receive their numbers when they check in.
6. 12-13 Year Contestants will have ONE dressing room backstage. **NO MALES ALLOWED. NO HAIR/MAKEUP ARTIST ALLOWED. ONLY ONE PERSON PER CONTESTANT. NO PHOTOGRAPHS IN THE ROOM. NO FOOD/DRINKS.** Failure to comply will result in disqualifications.
7. 12-13 Year contestants will compete in **TWO** stages of competition.
 - a. Fair Wear- Wear whatever YOU think represents the fair or you would wear as an attendee of a fair event.

- b. Evening Gown-Evening Gown, shoes, and jewelry of choice. Please stay mindful of the age division and keep all attire age appropriate.
8. Winners receive rhinestone crowns. Runner ups will receive a certificate and an Audience Favorite award will be given to the contestant who receives the most votes in each age group. Votes are \$1.00 each.
9. Winner will have the opportunity to compete at the State Fair Pageant in October. This is optional, feel free to email bcfpageant@gmail.com regarding this.
10. Audience Favorite ballots are available to print off with the form. You may also print off more ballots than what is provided, if needed. You are welcome to pre collect votes and bring them the night of the pageant with the collected money. We will also be accepting votes throughout the pageant. Audience Favorite is strictly OPTIONAL.
11. **Each contestant must be a legal resident of Benton County. This means you must LIVE in Benton County. Per State Fair rules, going to school in the county does not constitute residency.** Previous contestant winners are not eligible to enter again in the same age division. If you won last year and wish to crown then you must sit out competing in this year's pageant.
12. Direct all questions to bcfpageant@gmail.com or send a message to our Facebook page, Benton County Fair Pageant.

DISCLAIMERS

The judges will be appointed by the Benton County Fair Pageant. They will be persons well qualified to judge a competition of this kind. Their decision will be final. Critiques and scores will not be provided to anyone, nor will any contestant, or any representative of a contestant, be allowed to approach the judges at any time.

The Benton Co. Fair Pageant Director reserves the final and absolute right to interpret these rules and arbitrarily settle and determine all matters, questions and differences in regard thereto, or otherwise arising out of or connected with, or incident to the contest, and the right to amend or add to these rules as their judgment may determine. Any contestant who fails to abide by any of the above rules can be disqualified from the competition by the County Contest Director and/or County Fair Management.

NO UNSPORTSMANLIKE CONDUCT WILL BE TOLERATED!

**PRETEEN BEAUTY PAGEANT
ENTRY FORM FOR AGES 12-13 YR CONTESTANTS**

Division Entered:

Miss Benton County Pre Teen 12-13 YR



NAME: _____

BIRTHDATE: _____ AGE: _____ FATHER: _____ MOTHER: _____

ADDRESS: _____ CITY: _____ STATE: _____

ZIP: _____ PHONE: _____ EMAIL: _____

Emcee will read below while contestant is on stage. Please write clearly.

SCHOOL (if attending): _____

FUN FACT _____

CLUB MEMBERSHIPS

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

HOBBIES

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

OTHER ACTIVITIES

1) _____

2) _____

3) _____

I wish to enter Benton County Beauty Pageant Contest. I agree to be governed by the rules, as set forth by the BCFA, Inc. We have read and understand the rules and regulations for this contest and agree to abide by them. BCF, Miss Benton Co., neither pageant coordinators nor the facility where it is being held is in no way responsible for incidents, accidents, injury or theft that may occur before, during or after the pageant. I understand the judges' decisions are final and there are no refunds for any fees. We further agree to conduct ourselves at all times in a manner that will reflect favorably on us and the family we represent. **NO UNSPORTSMANLIKE CONDUCT WILL BE TOLERATED!**

_____ **APPROVAL OF PARENT OR GUARDIAN** **DATE:** _____

Benton Co. Fair ~ 7640 SW Regional Airport Blvd ~ Bentonville, AR 72712

AUDIENCE FAVORITE BALLOTS

****Print, fill out, and bring with appropriate amount of money for votes! 1 vote=\$1**

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