

## **OFFICIAL RULES AND REGULATIONS MISS SALEM SCHOLARSHIP PAGEANT**

Contestants Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Pageant Date: **May 28, 2011**

Entrant agrees to abide by all the rules of this pageant, the Miss Utah Pageant, and the National Miss America Pageant, now in effect or announced hereafter.

1. Contestants must be a resident of an 84653 zip code (Salem City, Woodland Hills or Salem City proposed annexed area) for a period of 6 months or longer.
2. Contestants must be single and never have been married nor had a marriage annulled, nor may she cohabitate with a male in lieu of a marriage, and must not be and never have been pregnant.
3. Contestant must be a high school senior before the date of the Miss Salem Pageant, have been at least 17 years of age at the time of the state competition and no older than 24 years of age on December 31, 2011.
4. Contestant must be of good moral character and have not been convicted of any crimes. Contestant will not smoke or drink alcoholic beverages in public or engage in public displays of affection and shall possess talent, poise, personality, intelligence, and charm.
5. Contestants must present and display a ninety-second talent. All aspects of public performances and appearances at the pageant must be approved by the pageant committee. This includes talent, wardrobe, lyrics, props, etc.
6. Contestant must wear a one-piece swimsuit that is modestly cut for the swimsuit portion of the pageant.
7. Contestants must be on time and attend all rehearsals.
8. Miss Salem Contestants will conduct themselves in a way that exemplifies integrity, virtue and service.
9. Each contestant in the local pageant is required to contribute a minimum of \$100.00 to the Children's Miracle Network. Failure to do so will jeopardize her eligibility in the pageant. The contestant that is crowned Miss Salem will be required to raise an additional \$250.00 for the Children's Miracle Network.
10. Each contestant must accomplish at least 10 hours of community service, preferably on her platform issue, before the pageant date and fill out appropriate paperwork.

11. On the day of the pageant the contestants will abide by the following rules:
  - a. May not speak with any of the Miss Salem Pageant judges except at regularly scheduled events.
  - b. Will be assigned to a hostess and must be accompanied by that hostess at all times. Please report any problems or concerns to your hostess.
  - c. No one is permitted backstage or in the dressing rooms except hostesses, contestants and approved board members. This means NO mothers, sisters, aunts, boyfriends, etc.
  - d. No cell phones or laptops allowed backstage or in the dressing rooms.

When representing the City, Miss Salem and Attendants will comply with the following guidelines:

1. As Miss Salem and Attendants, you must be available to make necessary appearances, and represent the city whenever it is required.
  - 7 parades (required by Salem City)  
Salem City will provide a budget of \$50 for each of the royalty's dresses. Failure to attend a parade will result in a \$50.00 deduction from scholarship money.
  - Little Miss Salem Days committee member.
  - Attend Salem Day events and activities.
  - Attend Salem City functions including Easter Egg hunt, Memorial Day Service, Trunk or Treat, Spanish Fork Light Parade, Pond Town Christmas and other events as requested.  
Failure to attend can result in a deduction of scholarship money.
  - Ribbon cuttings for new Salem City businesses.
  - Responsible for the decorating/undecorating the float for summer & winter parade. Responsibility also includes providing a driver and gas for the float. The city will provide maintenance of the float.
  - Miss Salem & her Attendants will promote Salem Days by visiting local city council meetings.
  - Miss Salem will report to the city council quarterly.
2. Miss Salem must not get married during her one-year reign or she must forfeit her title, crown and scholarship money to the First Attendant. In the case of Attendants getting married during their reign they will also forfeit their title and scholarship money.
3. Upon being selected as Miss Salem, you will be required to represent Salem in the Miss Utah Scholarship Pageant following your one-year reign. You must attend all Miss Utah workshops and turn paperwork in on time. Salem City will pay the franchise fee to Miss Utah and Miss Salem is responsible for the additional amount due and her own wardrobe.
4. The pageant committee and Salem City Council reserve the right to disqualify or ask to step down anyone who in any way does not maintain the standards or does not represent Salem in a manner that has been established by the Miss Salem Scholarship Board and this contract.

I have read the above information and agree to abide by these guidelines throughout the Miss Salem Competition and if chosen Miss Salem or an attendant throughout my reign.

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Contestant Signature

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Date

## Miss Salem Scholarship Pageant Contestant Information Sheet

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Home address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Education: High School \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of school and date of graduation)

College: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of College and Degree sought)

Years Attended: \_\_\_\_\_

Scholarship Honors: \_\_\_\_\_

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Career Ambition: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Accomplishments: \_\_\_\_\_

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What type of talent will you present at the Pageant: \_\_\_\_\_

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Employment Experience: \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name/Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name/Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Other interesting facts about you: \_\_\_\_\_

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