

COFFEE COUNTY'S FAIREST OF THE FAIR CONTEST

Saturday, September 19, 2009 at 8:00 PM

Total Premium: \$350.00

Awards: \$125; \$75; \$50; \$50; \$50

Contestants must arrive by 6:00 PM

Practice: Sept. 12th at Fairgrounds (9:00 AM)

Interview Sept. 19 at 6:30 PM at Coffee County Fairgrounds (Come prepared for the Contest)

Entry Deadline: September 1, 2009

Sponsored by: Coffee County Fair Association

Committee: Christy Clouse, Chairman (723-7855); Angie Banks, Co-Chairman; Dale Brandon, Cory Dziadkowiec, Matthew Dziadkowiec, Kim Fults, Robert Luneack, and Thurman Walden.

Announcement will be made 1 hour prior to contest in case of rain.

Purpose: A beauty contest is a highly satisfactory feature attraction for most fairs. The publicity tie-in with the state-wide contest gives the participating fairs a special opportunity to develop interest in the local contest.

Rules:

1. Each contestant must have reached her 16th birthday but not her 21st birthday by September 1, 2009.
2. A contestant cannot qualify if she has been married, given birth to a child, or been found guilty of a felony.
3. **Dresses should be formal. Contestants will not be allowed to wear or carry flowers during the judging of the contest. Dresses should be split no more than 4 inches above the knee or side. The winner, who will represent Coffee County Fair in the state contest in January, 2010, must have a floor-length formal gown.**
4. Contestants will be judged on **beauty, poise, personality, and interview.**
5. Each contestant must attach a copy of her birth certificate or a copy of her driver's license to her entry form.
6. Each contestant must reside within the boundaries of Coffee County or the corporate city limits of Tullahoma for a minimum of one year prior to the contest.
7. A non-refundable fee of \$25 must accompany the entry form.
8. The Winner must represent "The Fair" at the different events during the week of the fair and throughout the year(she must attend practice and crown the winner at the 2010 Fair.) If the contestant cannot attend the State Fairest of the Fair Contest, she must relinquish her crown and the runner-up will become the new Fairest of the Fair. The Fair Association will furnish room and board expenses at the State Fairest of the Fair Contest.
9. During the Fairest of the Fair Contest, the contestant will not be allowed to have visitors backstage. **Any contestant with visitors backstage will be disqualified.**
10. Contestants must be and always have been of the female gender.
11. **There will be a late fee after September 1st of \$75.00. No late entries will be taken after September 8th.**

Fairest the Fair

(Please Print)

Name of Contestant: _____

Birthdate: _____
(attach copy of birth certificate or driver's license)

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____

Parents: _____

School: _____

List up to 5 hobbies, activities or special interests you enjoy:
(This information will be read by our MC during the contest.)

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____

(Use separate sheet if necessary)

I certify that I have never been married, given birth to a child, or been convicted of a felony.

Contestant signature _____

I certify to the above information and that this person is a resident of Coffee County.

Parent signature _____

Coffee County Fair will not be held liable for any damage that may occur to a contest's apparel or accessories during the beauty pageant or contest activity.

Mail All Entry Forms to:

Fairest of the Fair

Coffee County Fair

P. O. Box 269

Manchester, TN 37349

Entries must be postmarked by September 1st