The North Carolina Blueberry Festival Association
Post Office Box 1554 ♦ Burgaw, North Carolina 28425

NORTH CAROLINA BLUEBERRY FESTIVAL PAGEANT

Applications are being accepted for the 2014 North Carolina Blueberry Festival Scholarship Pageant to be held **Saturday, May 31, 2014**.
The pageant is a fund-raiser event for the North Carolina Blueberry Festival. The pageant will be held at The Penderlea School Auditorium in Willard, NC.
Deadline to enter is **May 2, 2014**.

This pageant is open to contestants in the five Blueberry producing counties of; Bladen, Duplin, New Hanover, Pender, and Sampson.

The queens will participate in community service and fundraising activities for the festival as they will be a representation of the North Carolina Blueberry Festival while building self-confidence and friendships. As queens they will also attend other festivals, surrounding area pageants, parades and other various events while representing and sharing information about The North Carolina Blueberry Festival, the blueberry producing industry, and the number one health food!!!

Age division is determined by your age the day of the pageant.

Mini Miss	5-6 years	Junior Miss	10-12 years
Little Miss	7-9 years	Teen Miss	13-15 years

Miss (Queen) 16-21 years

Applications accepted on or before May 2, 2014, entry fee is $100.00. After May 2, 2014, entry fee is $110.00. Late applications will only be accepted through May 15, 2014. ***Entry fee is non-refundable***. Each Queen will receive a crown, trophy, & sash. The Miss North Carolina Blueberry Festival Queen will receive at least a $500.00 scholarship for school. All contestants will receive a trophy and a gift. The number of runner-ups will be determined by the number of contestants.

COMPETITION

INTERVIEW

Little Miss, Junior Miss, Teen Miss, & Miss Contestants will have a private interview with the judges. Wear a dress (any color), but be casual. Shoe style and color is up to you

TALENT

Little Miss, Junior Miss, Teen Miss & Miss Contestants will perform a talent. All talent music must be on a CD.

CASUAL WEAR

Mini Miss will compete in casual sportswear. Any kind of casual wear will be fine.

PARTY DRESS/EVENING WEAR

Mini Miss and Little Miss will compete in this category. Mini Miss and Little Miss should compete in a Sunday dress or Easter dress. NO PAGEANT DRESSES!! Mini and Little Miss: If you wear a long gown, you may have 5 points automatically deducted from each judge.

Junior Miss, Teen Miss, & Miss will compete in a long evening gown.

Little, Junior, Teen, & Miss will say their name, contestant #, sponsor and something about The NC Blueberry Festival during this part of the competition.

OPTIONAL AWARDS

PHOTOGENIC

You may enter photogenic for an additional $10.00. Each age division will have a winner and there will be an Overall Photogenic winner who will receive a trophy and gift. Please mail this in along with your application or you also will be given the opportunity to turn in your picture before interviews begin.

TICKET SALES

The contestant who sells the most tickets, Overall Ticket Sales Winner, will receive a trophy and gift.

Advance tickets are $6.00 and at the door is $8.00. Money and unused tickets are due by rehearsal.

AD SALES

Ad sales can be sold for the program.

The Overall Ad Sales Winner will receive a trophy and gift.

There is an additional $5.00 fee if you want a picture included in the ad.
Ads and money are due by _____.

Business Card	¼ Page	Half Page	Full Page
$ 25.00	$ 35.00	$ 45.00	$ 60.00

SIGNATURE VOTES

The contestant who collects the most signature votes will receive a trophy and gift. Signature sheets and money are due by rehearsal.

The North Carolina Blueberry Festival Pageant title is a closed title. If you participate in another pageant while holding this title, you will forfeit the title and it will go to the first runner up. If you presently hold a title, you cannot participate in the pageant. Also, if you do not make any of the required appearances during the first 3 months of you winning the title, the crown will go to the first runner up. All queens will be required to be present at the North Carolina Blueberry Festival which will be held on Saturday June 21, 2014. All title winners/parents will be expected to sign a contract agreeing to this.

The judges' decision is final. Please do not approach the judges at any time before, during or after the pageant. Poor sportsmanship will also not be tolerated.

The North Carolina Blueberry Festival, Scholarship Pageant, Directors, Staff, the Penderlea Auditorium and school property will not be held responsible for accidents, damages, theft, illnesses or lost items the day of the pageant or any activities pertaining to the pageant.

Make checks payable to the North Carolina Blueberry Festival Association. More information about the pageant will be given once the applications are received. Refunds will not be given.

Parent Signature (18 years or younger)/ Signature: _____
Printed Name: _____ Date: _____

Please be sure to return this page with your application.

<u>If you have any questions, please email or call</u>:
Olivia Dawson, Festival Coordinator & Pageant Director

(910) 787.5007 / 663.1812, Email: ncblueberrypageant@gmail.com

Or

Kristen Wells, Pageant Co-Director at (910) 604.1398

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NAME_____AGE_____

DATE OF BIRTH_____

ADDRESS_____

_____ZIP_____

EMAIL ADDRESS_____

PARENT NAMES_____

TELEPHONE_____ or _____

HOBBIES, INTEREST, ACTIVITIES_____

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FAVORITE TV SHOW_____

FAVORITE FOOD_____

ACHIEVEMENTS, ACCOMPLISHMENTS, AWARDS_____

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FUTURE PLANS/AMBITIONS_____

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TALENT (AS YOU WANT EMCEE TO READ) _____

WHY WOULD YOU LIKE TO REPRESENT AS A NC BLUEBERRY FESTIVAL QUEEN? _____

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SPONSOR_____

PLEASE INCLUDE A PHOTO FOR THE PROGRAM

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BEST WISHES/ SIGNATURE VOTES - $ 1.00 EACH

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ALL PROCEEDS BENEFIT THE NORTH CAROLINA BLUEBERRY FESTIVAL SCHOLARSHIPS!

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AD CONTRACT

Contestant's Name_____

Name_____

Address_____

Size of Ad (Circle which size ad wanted)

1/8 Page	1/4 Page	1/2 Page	Full Page
$25.00	$35.00	$45.00	$60.00

**** If a picture is to be in the ad, please add an additional $5.00.***

AD INFORMATION_____

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Amount Paid_____

Signature_____ **Date**_____

Thank you for your support!!