



2020
MISS MCCURTAIN COUNTY
PAGEANT CONTESTANT
PACKET

2020 Miss McCurtain County Pageant Important Information

The Miss McCurtain County Pageant will be on Tuesday, September 8, 2020 at 6:30 p.m. at the Larry Brinkley Event Center at the Fairgrounds.

ALL CONTESTANTS MUST ATTEND THE MEETING

- **Tuesday, September 1st at 6:00 p.m. at the Larry Brinkley Event Center at the Fairgrounds in Idabel to bring their completed TYPED entry form. If you cannot be at the meeting, please have a representative there to turn in your entry form and get the information given out at the meeting. A group picture will be taken for the newspaper at the meeting. Entry forms may be retrieved from the McCurtain County Free Fair website or be picked up from Chamber of Commerce offices in Idabel or Broken Bow, Bunch's in Idabel, Brinkley Auctions in Idabel, Complete Care Medical in Idabel, or County School Offices.**
- **WE RECOMMEND THAT YOU TYPE YOUR ENTRY FORM. At the meeting you MUST bring 4 WALLET SIZE PICTURES along with your COMPLETED TYPED ENTRY FORM.**

FOLLOWING ARE THE OFFICIAL RULES FOR THE EVENT

- **Contestants must be between the ages of 14-18, unmarried, never been married, and never had children. They must either be enrolled in a McCurtain County School, a past semester graduate of a McCurtain County School, live in McCurtain County, or be Home Schooled to qualify. MISS MCCURTAIN COUNTY WILL BE REQUIRED TO REPORT TO ALL EVENTS AT THE FAIR TO HAND OUT RIBBONS AND AWARDS BEGINNING WEDNESDAY MORNING, SEPTEMBER 9, 2020 THRU SATURDAY NIGHT, SEPTEMBER 12, 2020. MISS MCCURTAIN COUNTY WILL RECEIVE \$1,200 IN SCHOLARSHIPS!**

PAGEANT AGENDA

- **OFFICIAL DEADLINE IS AT THE MEETING Tuesday, September 1st at 6:00 p.m. No entry forms will be accepted after this. GROUP PICTURES will be made at this meeting. If you are unable to be at the meeting you must make arrangements to turn in your entry form or have someone turn it in for you. NO ENTRY FORMS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER Tuesday, September 1st. PRACTICE DATES ARE ON THE LAST PAGE OF THIS PACKET.**
- **THERE WILL BE A MANDATORY REHEARSAL MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 2020 AT 6:00 P.M.**
- **THE PAGEANT WILL BE HELD TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2020 AT 6:30 P.M. AT THE LARRY BRINKLEY EVENT CENTER AT THE FAIRGROUNDS. (INTERVIEWS START AT 4:15 P.M. CONTESTANTS MUST ARRIVE AT 4:00 DRESSED AND READY FOR THE INTERVIEW). Contestants should wear their pageant dress for the interview.**

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DRESS CHOICE

- Dress should be **MODEST, SHORT** Semi formal (like prom dress) and heels for shoes. Dress is to be worn during the entire pageant, including the interview.

INTERVIEWS

- Interviews with the judges will take place Tuesday, September 8, 2020 at 4:15 p.m. at the Larry Brinkley Event Center at the Fairgrounds. Contestants must arrive by 4:00 p.m. Dressed and ready for the interview. During the interview, only the contestants are allowed in the building. An onstage question will be asked to the top 5 contestants, we will practice onstage questions during each practice.

JUDGING POINTS

- Contestants will be judged in Interview, Beauty, Stage Presentation, and Choice of Dress.
- Interview is a very important part of the pageant; it is where the judges first see you and get their first impression of you.
- We will practice interview along with modeling and onstage question at the pageant practice listed on the back page of this packet.
- Points can be deducted for not following the rules, not complying with deadlines, and having an attitude toward others, please treat others with respect.

PAGEANT DIRECTORS

BreeAnn Brinkley Campbell (580)212-1720 & Amber Daniel (580)236-9530

MISS MCCURTAIN COUNTY CONTESTANT SHEET

Contestant # _____

Name _____.

Is the _____ year old daughter of _____.

She attends _____ school.

Her future plans are _____

_____.

Something she would like the audience to know _____

Contestant # _____ Name _____.

2020 Miss McCurtain County Practice Dates

Practice Dates and Times

- We will have a total of 3 practices with 1 being mandatory. Please attend all of the practices possible so that you can learn the opening number and stage formations and practice interview and onstage question. We understand that you are all busy, so we only made one mandatory but encourage you to participate in more than one practice.

Meeting & Deadline:

- **Tuesday, September 1st at 6:00 p.m. At the Larry Brinkley Event Center.**

Practice 1.

- **Tuesday, September 1st at 6:00 p.m. (Practice will take place after the short meeting).** Parents will be dismissed then we will begin the first practice.

Practice 2.

- **Thursday, September 3rd at 6:00 p.m.**

Mandatory Practice:

- **Monday, September 7th at 6:00 p.m.**

Parents will only be able to attend the Meeting and the Mandatory Practice. We have found that contestants feel more comfortable when parents are not watching and are able to get more one on one attention during practice. We apologize to the parents; we are only doing what is best for the contestants.

Pageant Day Schedule

Tuesday, September 8, 2020

3:45 p.m.- Building will open for contestants.

4:00 p.m.- Be here ready for interview, doors will lock at this time. You wear your pageant dress for interview.

4:15 p.m.- Interviews begin, Contestants only in building, parents will be able to enter after the last interview is over. Contestants may leave or stay after your interview. Once you leave, you will not be able to reenter the building until the last interview is over.

6:15 p.m.- Be in the dressing room ready for the pageant.

6:30 p.m.- The pageant begins.

Thank you for participating in this years Miss McCurtain County Pageant! We want each contestant to succeed so we will help each one of you as much as possible. We are here for you! If you have any questions, please feel free to call BreeAnn (580)212-1720.

2020 Miss McCurtain County Pageant Covid Restrictions

- **Everyone will be required to wear a mask, except contestants.**
- **Seating will be spread out where families sit together, no mixing with other families.**
- **Doors will not open until 6:00 p.m.**
- **We will only allow 50% capacity in the Event Center during the pageant.**
- **We will have live streaming on Facebook for those who cannot attend the pageant.**

Please respect the changes we have made to make this pageant happen. We are sorry for the inconvenience. The safety and health of our community is our main concern.