



The 2019 Buena Vista County Fair

“Little Miss Contest”

Dear Contestant,

Thank you for your interest in the 2019 Buena Vista County Fair Little Miss Contest. The enclosed information will provide you with the general understanding of the qualifications and expectations of contestants, as well as specific details about the event.

Being selected as part of the Buena Vista County Fair Royalty, should be considered a privilege and an honor. It is a serious commitment of time, not only the week of the fair, but throughout your year-long reign at various special events and parades. Also crowning of the new Little Miss at next year fair 2020.

Qualifications:

- Each Little Miss contestant must be between the ages of 6 and 9 before the first day of the fair.
- The Contestant must be a resident of Buena Vista County. Cannot move out of the county before the crowning of the next Little Miss.
- Any contestant who has NOT been a finalist in a previous Buena Vista County Little Miss contest may re-enter provided they meet all other requirements.

If the Little Miss fails to effectively represent the Buena Vista County Fair, she will be asked to return all prizes and relinquish her title (crown and sash).

Applications:

- Each Little Miss contestant must complete and submit their application packet by Friday, June 15, 2019 (**Must be postmarked by June 15, 2019**).
- Parents may assist in the completion of the packet. They are to be typed. If you need help in this please feel free to contact me.
- Each Little Miss contestant must submit a head and shoulder 4x6 or smaller photo (color or black & white). The photo must accompany the application packet or you can email a jpg file. Photo does NOT have to be a professional photo. (These photos will be used in the paper so please choose your best one.)
- Please mail your completed application and photo to:

Buena Vista Ag Society
Attn: Little Miss Contest
P.O. Box 125
Alta, IA 51002

Phone number: Sarah Brown 712-299-0394 or
Email your application and photo to: bvcfairqueen@gmail.com

Selection of Little Miss

The judges selected to judge the Buena Vista County Queen Contest will also judge the Little Miss Contest based on the application provided, short interview as well as personality, poise, and beauty. The judges will be looking for the neat, natural, creative, attractive, typical little girl, not a miniature adult.

Judging

Contestant should wear nice clothes for interview. (Dress or Skirt) NO Denim. Judging will be at the AEA building in Storm Lake, 824 Flindt Drive, Storm Lake, IA 50588. Week of June 24th, 2019 will be judging exact date and time to be determined for, Little Miss Judging. We will call and let everyone know the date and time when we know how many contestants we have!

Crowning

Crowning of the new Little Miss will take place at the intermission of the Rodeo on . Please wear a dress or skirt. Each Contestant will introduce themselves before the crowning of the new Little Miss. The Buena Vista County Little Miss Contest provides a crown and sash to the Little Miss winner ONLY. The Crown and Sash are NOT toys and should be handled with care. They should ONLY be worn during official events, competition & they may be worn during the fair. If the crown/sash is broken, a replacement will NOT be provided.

Winner

Winner is expected to attend each day **Buena Vista County Fair, July 5th – July 8th, 2019** with an ADULT SUPERVISION (parent/grandparent/babysitter, 18 or older). She is not to be left with the Fair Queen to babysit all day. This will be discussed with the winner and parents and 2019 Queen. As the Fair Queen will also have other duties separate from the Little Miss. The winner will hand out ribbons and trophies at various events at the fair. The winner will also be introduced each night at the Grandstand events. This does not give the winner or the winners family free admission to Grandstand events, including to just go in to see them on the stage. She will only be introduced at the beginning and then will leave the stage. Winners are also expected to represent the Buena Vista County Fair in parades and other various events throughout the year.

She will also come back for the 2020 first day of fair for finishing her duties of handing out ribbons and trophies.

These are the Parades Required. You can go to others if you wish:

- Cherokee Rodeo Parade
- Schaller Popcorn Days Parade
- Star Spangled Spectacular Parade

Parents are to bring the Little Miss to Parades and meet after the parade to pick the child up.

Winners will be asked back to help crown the new royalty at the 2020 Buena Vista County Fair.



Buena Vista County Fair
Little Miss Application
Ages 6-9

Name: _____

Address: _____

Birth Date: _____

School: _____ Grade Entering 2019-20: _____

Parents: _____

Siblings: _____

What would you like to be when you grow up?

Pets:

Activities/Community Involvement:

Interesting Facts/Favorite things to do:

Favorite thing about School:

What Grade did you just finish in School: _____

Favorite thing about the Buena Vista County Fair:

Additional sheets may be used. Please enclose a 4x6 or smaller photo. Each contestant will be introduced at the Rodeo on Friday, July 5th, 2019 before the new Little Miss is crowned. (Please wear a Dress or Skirt). Please be there by 6:30 pm at the Very Interesting Building. So we can meet before the Rodeo



Buena Vista County Fair
Little Miss Application
Ages 6-9

Contestant Name: _____

Parents/Guardian: _____

Parent E-Mail Address: _____

Parent Phone Number: _____

Mail entry form and photo to: (Must be Postmarked by Friday, June 14th, 2019)

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Attn: Little Miss Contest
P.O. Box 125
Alta, IA 51002

Contact: Sarah Brown 712-299-0394

Or send email to: bvcfairqueen@gmail.com

If you email, you will received an email saying RECEIVED, if you don't please call me.

By signing the document, I hereby agree to the rules of the Little Miss Buena Vista County Fair Contest and furthermore, grant the Buena Vista County Fair the right to take photographs of me and my family and grant that they may use such photographs of me for any lawful purpose including but not limited to publicity, illustrations, advertising, and web content.

Contestant's Signature

Date:

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date: