



## Miss Highlands County

Saturday February 5<sup>th</sup> at 7:30p

Ages: 16y-19y

Total entry fee DUE 1/14: \$80 made payable to HCFA or exact CASH

### \*\*Important Information\*\*

- Contestant Picture Day: 1/16 @4p in Robbin's Nursery. Contestants are to wear their Opening Number outfits provided by the MHC pageants, you will need to provide black shoes & tights. Photography by: Caroline Maxcy Photography
- Practice information: Each contestant must attend no less than 3 practices in order to compete- this helps keep the flow of pageant time as smooth as possible-, please dress comfy & appropriately for practices, **ALL PRACTICES ARE CLOSED TO ANYONE OUTSIDE OF THE PAGEANT CONTESTANTS & COMMITTEE**, Cell phones have become a huge distraction at practices so contestants **WILL** be required to have their cell phones put away in a backpack or bag while at practice- no cell phones in back pockets, etc.
- Miss Dress Competition: Please keep dress, shoes and accessories Tasteful. Dress Approval is a MUST. Dress should be FULL length. Heels should be height that your comfortable walking in. Accessories, Nails, Make-up & hairstyle should be tasteful to compliment the Dress
- Contestant Interview attire is office casual/church attire. Think of your favorite nice outfit already hanging in your closet! No shorts, jeans, mini skirts, strapless/spaghetti strap please. Interviews will be one on one with each judge. Interviews will be the Saturday before fair week on 1/29 @11:30a Alan Jay Arena
- Pageant Day: BACKSTAGE WILL BE CLOSED. VOLUNTEER COMMITTEE MEMBERS WILL BE ASSISTING
- At the end of the (not judged) opening number, contestants will speak onstage, sharing a welcome & their name-This speaking is judged.
- Promo Wear is next, contestants will thank their sponsor.
- At the end of your walk for Dress competition, you will be asked a (judged) question that you will NOT know ahead of time, before exiting the stage.
- At the end of the Judged Dress Competition, special awards (Miss Congeniality & Most Photogenic) will be presented. After that recognition, the TOP 3 contestants will be announced. The remaining contestants will exit the stage. Once they have exited, two of the three TOP ladies will exit out of the arena so that individual questions can begin. One question will be the same for each TOP lady, the second will be from a judge. This will happen for each of the TOP 3 ladies.
- Once the TOP 3 are asked back onstage, our NEW Miss Highlands County will be announced along with her 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> runners-up