

## **MISS NORTH GEORGIA FAIR QUEEN PAGEANT RULES AND INFORMATION**

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Contestants must:

1. Be 17-24 years of age and attending high school or have earned a high school diploma, living in the Northwest Georgia area and a United States citizen.
2. The winner will be selected based on Interview (25%), Poise and Posture (20%), Swimsuit (20%) and Evening Gown with an on-stage question (35%).
3. This year's contest will be held Saturday, Oct. 24, 2009 in the Multi-Purpose Center at the North Georgia Fairgrounds. Judges' interviews will begin at 4:00 p.m. and the pageant will start at 7:00 p.m.
4. A pageant rehearsal will be held and contestants will be notified.
5. Miss North Georgia Ag Fair will receive a crown, sash, flowers, a \$400.00 cash award and a portrait by Parker Studios. The First Runner-up will receive \$300.00 cash award and flowers. All other contestants will receive a \$35.00 check to help with contest expenses.
6. The winner will also be expected to represent the North Georgia Ag Fair at the Miss Georgia Agricultural Fair to be held in Atlanta in January 2010. The winner will also represent the North Georgia Fair in the Coosa Valley Fair Queen Contest in Rome in October 2010. Contests include judges' interviews, swimsuit, evening dresses. An on-stage question will be asked. Expenses for these trips will be paid for by the North Georgia Ag Fair.
7. Applications for the Miss North Georgia Ag Fair contest may be picked up at the North Georgia Ag Fair Office on Legion Drive in Dalton or by calling 706-278-1712 for one to be mailed. Mail applications to North Georgia Ag Fair, Inc., PO Box 1606, Dalton, GA 30722.
8. Entry fee of \$30.00 is due with application by Friday, Oct. 16, 2009.

(Picture)

2009 Miss North Georgia Agricultural Fair Queen Official Entry Form

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Name Called \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (Day) \_\_\_\_\_ (Evening) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_

Description: Height \_\_\_\_\_ Color of Hair \_\_\_\_\_ Color of Eyes \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Education: High School \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date \_\_\_\_\_

College \_\_\_\_\_ Degree Sought \_\_\_\_\_

Years Attended \_\_\_\_\_ Class this year \_\_\_\_\_

Graduate School \_\_\_\_\_ Degree Sought \_\_\_\_\_

College Major \_\_\_\_\_ Minor \_\_\_\_\_

Scholastic Honors \_\_\_\_\_

Scholastic Ambition \_\_\_\_\_

Career Ambition \_\_\_\_\_

Other Accomplishments \_\_\_\_\_

Special training in music, drama, dance, art \_\_\_\_\_

Employment Experience \_\_\_\_\_

Names, ages of brothers and sisters \_\_\_\_\_

Other interesting facts about yourself \_\_\_\_\_

Special or unique personal qualities or experiences \_\_\_\_\_

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The Miss America Organization encourages the young women who participate in the program to become involved in their communities and to speak out on issues of concern to them, their community and the nation. If you were selected as the winner of the State Fairest of the Fair competition, what issue would you choose to focus on during your year of service?

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I understand that the decision of the judges will be final. I further authorize the North Georgia Agricultural Fair to use photos, names, etc. for publicity and news reporting purposes, taped interviews and on the spot broadcast as the Fair sees fit. I also certify that I meet all the eligibility requirements as listed in the Fair Book.

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Signature of Parent or Guardian

Signature of Contestant

Please return application with picture to North Georgia Agricultural Fair, PO Box 1606, Dalton, GA 30722-1606. For more information call 706-278-1712. Applications must be received by Friday, October 16, 2009 before 4:00 p.m. Contest will be held Saturday, October 24, 2009 at 7:00 p.m.

Please note that your picture will not be returned.