



2018 Waller County Little Mister & Little Miss Contest

Important Dates & Times

Sunday September 16, 2018	3:00 pm	Registration, Mandatory Meeting & Contestant Judging (Committeemen's Bldg.)
Saturday September 29, 2018	10:00 am	Parade (meeting place TBD)
Saturday September 29, 2018	5:30 pm	Ceremony (main stage)

RULES and REGULATIONS

1. Contestants must be between ages of 4 and 6 by September 1, 2018. They must also be a resident of Waller County or attend school in Waller County.
2. Previous winners will NOT be eligible to compete again.
3. Contestant's parent(s) or guardian(s) and contestants agree the time, manner, and method of judging shall be solely within the discretion of Rock Island 4-H Club and the decision of the judges **shall be final**.
4. ALL judges are from out of town and DO NOT reside in Waller County.
5. Registration, Mandatory Meeting AND Judging will ALL be held on Sunday, September 16, 2018 at 3:00 pm in the Committeemen's Building located at the Waller County Fairgrounds. To be eligible to participate in the contest, Contestants and parent(s) or guardian(s) must attend. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**
NOTE: We will be taking a group picture for the local newspapers prior to judging.
6. Contestants will draw numbers for interview order at registration.
7. Entry forms, signed release of liability form and entry fee of \$40.00 must be turned in at registration. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**
8. There will also be a Photogenic Contest included for the contestants. NO professional photographs needed. Photos no larger than 5x7 please. You may ask for your photo back after the judging process is complete.

9. Contestants should wear western attire for the interview, parade, and ceremony. Shorts are NOT permissible. You may wear the same outfit to each appearance if you choose.
10. Participants will be judged on personality/interview (90%) and attire (10%).
11. The judges will be looking for a neat, natural, attractive, typical child...NOT a miniature adult.
NOTE: We want to remember that these are young children. ☺
12. Little Mister and Little Miss winners must appear on behalf of the Waller County Fair Association when asked. If for some reason the child is unable to fulfill his or her responsibility, (such as moving out of the county), the first runner-up will assume the title.
NOTE: After the ceremony and pictures are complete, please check in at the office to see their schedule.
13. All contestants are invited to ride in the 2018 Parade. Rock Island 4-H will provide a vehicle for the parade.
14. Little Mister and Little Miss Waller County must provide their own transportation for any parades entered after the current Fair Parade.
15. The Waller County Fair Association, Rock Island 4-H Club and Waller County 4-H will NOT be responsible for loss, injury, or damage to person or property while the contestant is either on the fairgrounds or at any fair related function.
16. Winners will be announced at the Ceremonies on opening day of the 2018 Waller County Fair on Saturday, September 29, 2018 at 5:30pm. Contestants not present at this time will be automatically disqualified. All spectators will be required to pay a gate fee to enter the fairgrounds for the ceremonies.

Contestant's parents/guardians agree the contest is for the sole purpose of extending an opportunity for your child to participate in a fun event while having a good experience.

**For more information, please contact Michelle Mitchell
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