



Miss Monroe County Fair Queen

INFORMATION PACKET



2026 MISS MONROE COUNTY DOCUMENTS PACKET

INCLUDED:

- 2026 General Rules for Miss Monroe County Fair Queen
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- 2026 Fair Queen Emergency Information
- Miss Monroe County Fair Queen Pageant Acknowledgement of Receipt of Documents
- Monroe County Fair Association Indemnity Agreement
- T-shirt order form (Not due until June 15, 2026)
- Pageant Sponsorship Program Information Ad - This is separate from your entry fee Sponsorship and is not mandatory. It is for your information only; in case you know someone, who would be interested in being a sponsor of the overall Fair Queen and Little Miss Pageants.
- Bingo Trivia Flyer - This is for your information only. This is a fundraiser we host every year and would love for you to join us, or anyone you think would enjoy a fun night out!

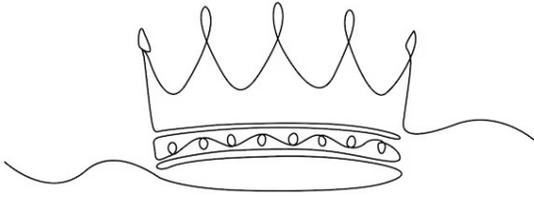
RETURN ELECTRONICALLY:

- Completed 2026 Fair Queen Application
- Completed 2026 Fair Queen Emergency Information
- Signed Miss Monroe County Fair Queen Pageant Acknowledgment of Receipt of Documents
- Signed Monroe County Fair Association Indemnity Agreement

RETURN PHYSICAL COPY:

Monroe County Fair Queen Pageant, 5950 State Route 3, Waterloo, IL 62298

- Sponsorship Check(s)



Welcome! And thank you for your interest in competing in the 2026 MISS MONROE COUNTY FAIR QUEEN PAGEANT! We are excited to work with you and sincerely hope to make this an enjoyable, and rewarding, experience for you. When you arrive on pageant night, you will be representing not only yourself, but your

sponsor and the Monroe County Fair. As you walk across the stage you will have done something not many before you have dared to accomplish. This packet is designed to provide all the information and forms necessary to complete in the Miss Monroe County Fair Queen Pageant.

You may be asking yourself, “what does it take to be Miss Monroe County?”. As the Miss Monroe County Fair Queen, you are not only representing the Monroe County Fair but Monroe County Agriculture as a whole. Your role will be to help promote the Fair and our rich agricultural industry. The Monroe County Fair is one of the best in the area; be sure to soak it all in and most of all – HAVE FUN!

We make every effort possible to ensure everything is organized and runs smoothly. Please make sure all paperwork is submitted no later than March 21, 2026. The paperwork needs to be mailed, or hand delivered, and please pay attention to what needs to be submitted electronically. We know paperwork can be overwhelming, so the very next sheet of this packet is a checklist to help you manage all the forms. Please DO NOT hesitate to contact us if you need any help with the paperwork.

We also STRONGLY ENCOURAGE each contestant to participate in our t-shirt fundraiser; it is not a requirement though – Imagine being able to look out from the stage and immediately spot your friends and family! The contestant selling the most t-shirts will receive a cash prize. Please see the t-shirt order sheet in the back of the packet for pricing and color options. No 2 colors will be duplicated so be sure to get your color selections in! T-shirt order forms and monies are due by June 15th. The finished t-shirts will then be delivered you around July 13th (additional clarification will be provided once sales have ended and we know final production times).

An additional fundraiser we offer is our Pageant Sponsorship program. This is separate from your Contestant Sponsorship entry fee and again is not required participation. This program is open to businesses and families alike. There are multiple tiers available, to fit all budget needs, and provides wonderfully easy advertising. Please see the ad sheet in the back of the packet for more information about this program!

We thank you again for your interest and are very excited to have the opportunity to work with you. Following this letter, you will find all the information and paperwork necessary for the pageant. If you have any additional questions, please do not hesitate to reach out!

Best Wishes and Good Luck!

Monroe County Fair Queen Pageant Committee
Amanda Klein, Pageant Co-Director
Leanna Stechmesser, Pageant Co-Director

2026 General Rules for Miss Monroe County Fair Queen Pageant

- Contestant must be a US Citizen and:
 - Reside in Monroe County
OR
 - Reside within and attend(ed) a school in the Waterloo, Columbia, Valmeyer, OR Red Bud school district.

Residency will require two (2) forms of verification and will be verified using the most up-to-date GIS map available. Accepted forms of residency verification include:

List A (Both Needed)

Driver's License
High School Transcript
(only if qualify based on school)

List B (Choose 1)

Utility Bill
Mortgage Bill
Rental Contract
Property Tax Bill

Note: IF address from item on "List A" does not match address from item on "List B", Contestant will be required to provide a third form of residency verification.

- Contestant must be natural-born females and must be between the ages of 17 and 21 by the day of the county fair pageant, July 19, 2026. Newly crowned Queen cannot have reached her 22nd birthday by January 1st of the following year.
- Contestant must never have been convicted of a felony offense and there can be no pending adjudications against Contestant.
- Contestant never have been married or had a marriage annulled and never have been pregnant. Pregnancy or marriage as a contestant and/or newly crowned Queen will result in disqualification.
- Contestant must obtain at least one (1) Sponsor, but not more than three (3). The \$100 Sponsor Fee shall be made payable to "Monroe County Fair Association" (no cash). Contestant may acquire more than one Sponsor, if they wish; each Sponsor will pay the \$100 fee (i.e.: 2 sponsors = \$200 total). This is your entry fee for the pageant and is separate from the pageant sponsorship program.
 - Contestants may obtain additional sponsors, or additional monies from their entry sponsors, to help cover the costs of competing. Only those Sponsors that pay \$100 to the Monroe County Fair Association will be listed in the program and online, all other sponsors would be the contestant's responsibility to acknowledge.
- Former Monroe County Fair Queens are NOT eligible to compete. Former Contestants, including Runners-Up, ARE eligible to compete again.
- Contestant, and the newly crowned Queen, shall have no material on any social networking site, including but not limited to Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Tik-Tok, Snapchat, or otherwise, which the Monroe County Fair Association deems to be controversial, obscene or objectionable, in its sole discretion. Any such material shall be grounds for the disqualification of a contestant or newly crowned Queen.

- During the rehearsals, appearances, and pageant, no apparel which displays alcohol, tobacco or drug references shall be worn, including but not limited to accessories. This rule will apply to the newly crowned Queen throughout her reign as Miss Monroe County.
- Newly crowned Queen will always be dressed appropriately to a Queen and the event(s) attended during her entire reign. The Miss Monroe County Fair Queen crown and sash will only be worn when representing the Monroe County Fair.
- Contestant, and newly crowned Queen, shall not be observed in public consuming alcohol, tobacco or drugs throughout her reign.
- The newly crowned Queen must be available July 19-26, 2026 for fair events and will be available for parades or other social events as indicated on "Parades and Social Events" list. Absences will ONLY be excused by the Pageant Co-Director(s).
- The newly crowned Queen will be chaperoned at all times when attending Fair associated events. Chaperone, age 21 or over, will be approved by Pageant Co-Directors. The Chaperone may also be one of the Pageant Co-Directors or Pageant Committee member(s). A boyfriend or fiancé is not allowed to serve as the Chaperone.
- Newly crowned Queen's cash prize will be paid in three installments: The first shall be paid during Fair week 2026; the second will be paid during her competition at State Pageant in January 2027; the third will be paid the first Sunday of the Monroe County Fair 2027, at the conclusion of the 2026 Queen's reign. Any available prize monies stated for State Wardrobe Expenses will be paid at the Pageant Committee's discretion, upon presentation of receipts for reimbursement. Failure to complete duties voids any future installments not previously made. Disqualification or relinquishing of Monroe County Fair Queen title and crown may also void any/all payments.
- The First Runner-Up and Second Runner-Up shall receive a cash prize paid during Fair week 2026.
- Contestants and reigning Queen are only allowed one excused absence from pageant practices. Missing more than one practice may result in being disqualified or forfeiture of crown, in the case of reigning Queen. **Please note: This is to benefit all the other contestants, because practice can be difficult if you are missing contestants. ABSENCE TO BE APPROVED BY PAGEANT Co-DIRECTOR(s) ONLY.** A file will be kept of practice attendance and applicable deadlines. This file will be provided to the Judges on the day of the pageant.
- Contestants will be photographed individually, as a group, and with reigning Little Miss and Fair Queen. These photos are for the Fair Book and other publications advertising and promoting the Monroe County Little Miss and Fair Queen Pageant, either individually or in conjunction with the Monroe County Fair events and subsequent required Fair representations. The Monroe County Fair Association shall have the right to photograph, videotape and record the contestant and to use the contestant's name, face, likeness, voice and appearance in connection with exhibitions, publicity, advertising and promotional materials of the Monroe County Fair Association and the Monroe County Fair Association shall continue to have such right if the contestant voluntarily withdraws or is disqualified from the pageant. **Contestants will not be photographed, and their information included without ALL required paperwork and signatures.**

- Contestants must participate in at least one (1) of the Monroe County Fair workdays in preparation for the 2026 Monroe County Fair. These are typically held the 2 Saturdays in July, prior to the Fair. Exceptions may be made at the Co-Directors discretion only.
- The crowned Queen will attend, and participate in, the Southern Zone Meeting, held on November 8, 2026. She will be chaperoned by the Pageant Co-Director(s) only. The Monroe County Fair shall pay the cost of attendance.
- The crowned Queen will participate in State Pageant Prep/Bootcamp days:
 - Meeting with the crowned Queen, her parent(s)/guardian(s), and Pageant Co-Director(s) before the end of August.
 - Dress shopping at MyFormals in Litchfield, IL on October 24, 2026
 - Wardrobe build-out day the week of Thanksgiving Break. All potential outfits for State must be purchased by this day. Do not remove tags from any garments until they are approved.
 - Make-up shopping with Makeup by SAS to be completed before December 25, 2026.
 - Resources will be provided to the crowned Queen for her to set up her own mock interviews and scheduled additional prep days as she wishes.
 - If warranted, additional State Prep days may be added at the discretion of the Pageant Co-Directors.
- The crowned Queen will have her speech completed and all outfits for the 2027 State Pageant purchased and approved by the Pageant Co-Directors, no later than Thanksgiving Break in November 2026. Queen may be required to visit a store of the Pageant Committee's choosing with the Pageant Co-Directors and Pageant Committee, if she is in need of purchasing a new gown, swimsuit, interview outfit, and/or practice attire for the State pageant.
- The Monroe County Fair shall pay the cost of the 2026 Monroe County Fair Queen's room at the State Pageant, for Wednesday through Monday. This room is ONLY for the Queen, Pageant Co-Directors, and/or Pageant Committee members. No family members, or friends, are allowed to reside in the Queen's room.
- In the event the crowned Queen is not able to attend the State Pageant competition in January 2027, the First Runner-Up will be expected to attend. If the First Runner-Up is unable to attend, the Second Runner-Up will be expected to attend. If the Second Runner-Up is unable to attend, the Pageant Committee will determine whether or not a contestant represents Monroe County at the State Pageant.
- Crowned Queen cannot run in any other concurrent pageants while holding the title of Miss Monroe County Fair Queen, with the exception of the State Fair Queen pageant held in January 2027.
- The Miss Monroe County Fair Queen title may not be used for endorsement purposes, other than for the Monroe County Fair.

- Contestants will compete in: evening gown, swimsuit, and interview outfit. All clothing and speech must be approved by the Pageant Co-Directors and Committee by the set dates and **are not** allowed to change after approval. (See 2026 Fair Queen Practice Schedule for applicable deadline(s))
- Contestants will have no tattoos visible in swimsuit, business attire or evening gown.
- Contestants will wear no more than one pair of earrings during the competition (that is, no more than 1 earring per ear). No other piercings shall be visible when wearing required pageant attire either during the pageant or after being crowned Queen, and for the entire year of the newly crowned Queen's reign.
- Clothing guidelines are as follows:
 - Interview, and Speech, Attire:
 - i. Business dress, skirt suit, or pantsuit
 - ii. No strapless, off the shoulder, or one-shoulder
 - iii. No rhinestones or capes on the outfit
 - iv. Pantyhose are strongly encouraged
 - v. Jewelry of your choice. Please keep it tasteful; small rhinestone earrings are acceptable
 - Swimsuit:
 - i. One color, one piece
 - ii. No strapless
 - iii. Hip bones must be covered
 - iv. Entire bottom must be covered
 - v. Minimal cleavage, to the bust line only, is allowed
 - vi. Minimal rhinestone embellishment or broach on swimsuit allowed
 - vii. Small earrings may be worn – button/stud style, small hoops, or small rhinestones. No dangly earrings allowed. Earring should not extend past the bottom of the ear lobe.
 - Evening Gown:
 - i. Floor-length (no high-low)
 - ii. Slits no further than 5 inches above the knee (be tasteful of your height)
 - iii. Bustle – gowns with a train **MUST** have a bustle. No more than 5 bustle points are allowed. You must know how to bustle your dress.
 - iv. Cutouts below the bust line are not permitted on the front of the bodice
 - v. Sheer fabric is not permitted below the bust line on the front of the dress
 - vi. Minimal cleavage, to the bust line, is allowed. Sheer fabric at the top is allowed down to the bust line.
 - vii. Solid nude fabric under the dress is permitted
 - viii. Earrings of choice
 - ix. Pantyhose are optional
 - Shoes:
 - i. Taupe heels, may be open or closed-toe
 - 1. Closed-toe is recommended for interview
 - ii. At least a 2" high heel
 - iii. No high platforms. A small platform, 1" or less, under the toe is acceptable.

- The judging panel will consist of 3 judges. Judges must sign an affidavit form stating they have not been influenced by anyone affiliated with the Monroe County Fair and they do not live or work in Monroe County. **Decision of the Judges is final.**
- Scoring categories are as follows: Personal Interview (35%); Beauty & Physique (25%); Stage Presence (15%); Speech and Communication Skills (25%).
- Contestant and parent/guardian will be required to complete and sign “Miss Monroe County Fair Queen Pageant Acknowledgement of Receipt of Documents”, “2026 Miss Monroe County Fair Queen Application”, “2026 Miss Monroe County Fair Queen Emergency Information”, and “Monroe County Fair Association Indemnity Agreement”. Said documents shall be returned to the Pageant Committee, virtually, on or before March 21, 2026. **Failure to do so will disqualify you as a contestant.** (Mail or hand-delivery Sponsor check(s) to 5950 State Route 3, Waterloo, IL 62298)
- Queen Contestants will sign a Compliance Document at Dress Rehearsal. Said document indicates she is still competing in accordance with the rules set forth herein.
- The Fair Board, Pageant Co-Directors and/or Fair Pageant Committee cannot be held responsible for errors in the newspapers or other publications.

RULES SHALL BE INTERPRETED AND/OR ENFORCED BY THE FAIR QUEEN PAGEANT CO-DIRECTORS, PAGEANT COMMITTEE, AND/OR THE FAIR BOARD.

2026 MONROE COUNTY FAIR QUEEN PRACTICE **SCHEDULE & DEADLINES**

ONE EXCUSED ABSENCE ONLY!! It is very important you attend all the practices, for your benefit, as well as the other candidates. **Practices are completed by approximately 9:00pm.** Attendance file will be provided to the judges on the day of the pageant at your personal interview. **ABSENCES WILL BE APPROVED BY PAGEANT CO-DIRECTOR(S) ONLY.**

Practices will be held at the Monroe County Fairgrounds Commercial Building, unless otherwise informed. Refer to the schedule below as these deadlines allow plenty of time for any adjustments or changes that may be necessary.

DO NOT REMOVE ANY TAGS FROM GARMENTS UNTIL THEY HAVE BEEN APPROVED BY THE PAGEANT CO-DIRECTORS.

KEEP CELL PHONES TURNED OFF DURING REHEARSALS. CELL PHONES WILL BE LEFT WITH THE PAGEANT COMMITTEE DURING THE PAGEANT.

March 7 10:30 am – Informational Meeting

- Begin search for Sponsor
- **BRING: DRIVERS LICENSE, MOST RECENT HIGH SCHOOL TRANSCRIPT (only if qualifying based on school), AND OTHER IDENTIFICATION AS PROOF OF RESIDENCY.**

March 21 Paperwork must be completed, signed and submitted, either in person or postmarked

- Mail or hand-delivery to 5950 State Route 3, Waterloo, IL 62298.
- **You will not be photographed unless ALL required paperwork is received and approved, including the \$100 sponsor check(s).**

April 19 1:00 pm – Photos

Monroe County Fairgrounds, 4177 IL-156, Waterloo, IL 62298. Contestants will be photographed individually and as a group. These photos are for the Fair Book and other local publications. If you are not available on this date your photo will not be included in the official group photo(s). Please have hair and makeup done as this is the first official photo the Judges will see of you.

WEAR CUTE OUTFIT WITH SOLID COLORED TOP WITH SHOES AND ACCESSORIES OF CHOICE.

These photographs are subject to the General Rules for Monroe County Fair Queen.

Contestants will make their “head shot” selection within 24hrs of receipt of photos and notify Pageant Co-Director(s) of desired selection. This will be your photograph that is used in the Fair Book, newspaper, and social media!

- June 1 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm – Ice Cream Social & Practice**
- Wear a one-piece swimsuit underneath clothing. Bring taupe heels.
 - Bring clothing for approval.
 - **REMINDER:** Clothing must be approved by JUNE 29.
- June 15 8:00 pm - 9:00 pm – Practice**
- Wear a one-piece swimsuit underneath clothing. Bring taupe heels.
 - Bring clothing for approval.
 - **REMINDER:** Clothing must be approved by JUNE 29.
 - **T-SHIRT ORDERS DUE WITH MONEY!**
- June 29 7:00 pm - 9:00 pm – Boot Camp**
- Wear a one-piece swimsuit underneath clothing. Bring taupe heels.
 - **CLOTHING MUST BE FINALIZED & CANNOT CHANGE**
 - **SPEECHES MUST BE FINAL & MEMORIZED**
- July 13 8:00 pm - 9:00 pm – Practice**
- Wear a one-piece swimsuit underneath clothing. Bring taupe heels.
- July 18 7:00 pm – Dress Rehearsal**
- Bring taupe heels, skirt/dress/pants and a long dress, similar to the fit of your competition outfits, to practice in.
 - DO NOT bring any of your competition outfits!
 - Wear a one-piece swimsuit underneath clothing.
- July 19 5:00 pm – PAGEANT NIGHT!**
- Queens need to be backstage NO LATER than 5pm
- Interviews begin promptly at 5:30 pm
 - Little Miss Pageant begins at 7:00 pm
 - Queen Pageant begins at 8:00 pm

MONROE COUNTY FAIR QUEEN/LITTLE MISS PARADES AND EVENTS 2026 – 2027

For 2026 Queen/Little Miss + Contestants:

Waterloo Porta Westfalica	June 16, 2026	6:00pm (5:00pm line-up)
Red Bud Fireman’s Parade	June 28, 2026	4:00pm (3:00pm line-up)
Valmeyer 4 th of July Parade	July 5, 2026	1:00pm (12:30pm line-up)

For 2026 Queen/Little Miss ONLY:

Fair Thank You Dinner	August 2026	Fairgrounds – Info will be given once available
Columbia Daze	August 22, 2026	4:00pm (3:00pm line-up)
Annual Fair Association Meeting	November 24, 2026	7:00pm - Fairgrounds
Red Bud Lighted Parade	November 27, 2026	6:30pm (5:00pm line-up)
Waterloo GLOW Parade	November 28, 2026	5:30pm (4:30pm line-up)
Columbia Bright Night Lighted Parade	December 5, 2026	5:00pm (4:00pm line-up)
Waterloo Porta Westfalica	June 15, 2027	6:00pm (5:00pm line-up)
Red Bud Fireman’s Parade	June 27, 2027	4:00pm (3:00pm line-up)
Valmeyer 4 th of July Parade	July 4, 2027	1:00pm (12:30pm line-up)

Suggestions for Optional Events:

Other events may be approved at the discretion of the Pageant Co-Directors

Sheep Days	April 2026	Monroe County Fairgrounds
Fruehlingfest (Springfest)	1 st Sunday in May	Maeystown
Columbia 4 th of July Bike Parade	July 2026	Columbia Metter Park
Fairground Workdays (Mandatory attendance of at least one day by Queen and Queen Contestants)	Every Saturday in July	Monroe County Fairgrounds
Red, White & Blue in the Loo	July 2026	Monroe County Fairgrounds
Fire Department BBQ & Car Show	3 rd Sunday in August	Maeystown
LooFest	August 2026	Monroe County Fairgrounds
Songs 4 Soldiers	September 2026	Columbia Bolm-Schuhkraft Park
Optimist Blue Army Bull Bash	September 2026	Monroe County Fairgrounds
Festifall	October 2026	Columbia Metter Park
Pumpkinfest	2 nd Saturday in October	Waterloo Courthouse Square
Octoberfest	2 nd Sunday in October	Maeystown
Halloween Hijinks	October 2026	Columbia
Waterloo Trunk or Treat	October 31, 2026	Waterloo Courthouse Square
4H Harvest Night	November 2026	Hecker Community Center
Valmeyer Lighted Parade & Tree Lighting	November 28, 2026	6:30pm (???) line-up)
Santa Float (Queen only)	December 2026	Waterloo
Valmeyer Santa Float (Queen only)	December 2026	Valmeyer
Waterloo Tree Lighting	December 2026	Waterloo
Illinois County Fair Queen Pageants	Summer 2026	Various
Monroe County Farmer’s Market	Summer 2026	Waterloo (Saturdays) Columbia (Thursdays)

Miss Monroe County Fair Queen Pageant

Please follow the instructions for completing the bio sheet. You are responsible for the accuracy of the information you provide. Pageant Directors will NOT edit your bios. You are responsible for correcting and resubmitting BEFORE the deadline.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- To edit, go to File > Make a Copy. Please name your document FirstNameLastName_MissMonroeBio.
- Use Times New Roman font size 11 for the whole document.
- Do not use all caps or bold fonts in your answers.
- Line spacing should be 1 for inside paragraphs and 1.5 between paragraphs/headers.
- Leave headers in bold and do not edit those.
- Complete all areas.
- Completed bio sheet should be no more than 1 page without changing font size.
 - Directors will only print the first page for the judges.
- IMPORTANT! Have a parent or peer review your work before submitting
- Sheets are printed as they are submitted for the judges. Pageant Directors will NOT make changes to your sheet. You are responsible for grammatical content and spelling.
- To submit, please email the final copy to mocoilpageantdirector@gmail.com by the due date given.

After you complete your bio information, [CLICK HERE](#) to submit the required emergency contact form.

Disclaimer: The information, as presented on this form, is what will be provided to the local newspapers. The Fair Board, Pageant Co-Directors, and/or Pageant Committee cannot be held responsible for errors in the newspapers or the information you provide.

Scan or Click to Access Electronic Form



Miss Monroe County Fair Queen Pageant

NAME:

AGE:

HEIGHT:

HIGH SCHOOL ATTENDED:

GRADUATION DATE:

SPONSORS:

COLLEGE AND CAREER PLANS:

EMPLOYMENT:

HOBBIES AND INTERESTS:

ACTIVITIES:

SPECIAL HONORS:

2026 Miss Monroe County Emergency Form

Please ensure information provided is accurate and up to date in case of emergency.

Scan or Click to Access Electronic Form

1. Contact Email



2. Contestant Name

3. Birth Date

Example: January 7, 2019

4. Home Address, City, State, Zip Code

5. Contestant Cell Phone Number

6. Other Contact Number & Relation to Contestant

Example: 888-555-1234 (mother cell)

7. Other Contact Number & Relation to Contestant

Example: 888-555-1234 (mother cell)

8. Parent Email #1

Example: email@email.com (mother)

9. Other Contact Email #2

Example: email@email.com (mother)

10. In case of an emergency & the above numbers cannot be reached, I give permission for the fair authorities to: (please check all that apply)

Check all that apply.

- The Fair Authorities have my permission to take me/my child to the doctor and receive medical treatment as indicated.
- The Fair Authorities may take me/my child to an area trauma center or hospital.
- The Fair Authorities may call an ambulance to transport me/my child to an area trauma center or hospital.
- Hospital or trauma center officials may treat me/my child.

11. Preferred doctor and contact number

12. Preferred hospital/trauma center and contact number

13. Please list any other preferences or emergency procedures we should be aware of.

14. Parent/Guardian Signature: By typing your name in this box, this proves as your electronic signature on this form.
Contestant may sign this form if 18 or older.

15. Date

Example: January 7, 2019

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MISS MONROE COUNTY FAIR QUEEN PAGEANT ACKNOWLEDGMENT
OF RECEIPT OF DOCUMENTS

_____, as parent/guardian of (if under 18 years old)
_____, a contestant in the Miss Monroe County
Fair Queen Pageant, acknowledges receipt and understanding of the following documents:

1. 2026 General Rules for Miss Monroe County Fair Queen
2. 2026 Monroe County Fair Queen Practice Scheduled and Deadlines
3. Monroe County Fair Queen/Little Miss Parades and Events 2026-2027
4. 2026 Fair Queen Application
5. 2026 Fair Queen Emergency Information
6. Monroe County Fair Association Indemnity Agreement

Signature

Date

MONROE COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into as of the _____ day of _____, 20____, by and between the MONROE COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION, an Illinois not-for-profit corporation (hereinafter referred to as the "Association", and _____ (hereinafter referred to as the "Participant").

WITNESSETH:

WHEREAS, the Participant has (or is) heretofore participating in the Association's Fair Queen Pageant, and now desires to participate in other events (i.e. – parades, public appearances, photography sessions, etc..) as the Association's Fair Queen/Fair Queen Contestant/ Little Miss Queen/Little Miss Contestant (hereinafter collectively referred to as the "Other Events"); and

WHEREAS, the Association will agree to Participant's participation in the Other Events, provided that the Association is fully indemnified by Participant in connection therewith; and

WHEREAS, Participant and the Association desire to enter into this Indemnity Agreement to fully indemnify the Association.

NOW, THEREFORE in consideration of the Association agreeing to Participant's participation in the Other Events, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereby agree as follows:

1. The above recitals are incorporated herein by reference.
2. The Association agrees to Participant's participation in the Other Events as the Association's Fair Queen/Fair Queen Contestant/ Little Miss Queen/Little Miss Contestant, and Participant agrees to protect, indemnify, save harmless and defend the Association and its members, directors, officers, employees and agents from and against any and all liabilities, obligations, claims, damages, penalties, causes of actions, attorney's fees, costs and expenses imposed upon, incurred by or asserted against the Association arising out of, in connection with, or in any way pertaining to the Participant's participation in the Other Events as the Association's Fair Queen/Fair Queen Contestant/ Little Miss Queen/Little Miss Contestant.
3. Participant expressly agrees that this Indemnity Agreement is intended to be as broad and inclusive as permitted by the laws of the State of Illinois, and that if any term or provision hereof is held to be invalid, the validity of the remaining terms and provisions of this Agreement shall in no way be affected, prejudiced or disturbed.
4. The Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the respective heirs, personal representatives, successors and assigns of the parties hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of the day and year first above written.

"ASSOCIATION"

MONROE COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION

BY: _____

Its _____

"PARTICIPANT"

(Participant's Name)

BY: _____

as Participant's Parents and Natural Guardians

FRONT

BACK

TEAM (Contestant Name)



SPONSORED BY:

Sponsor(s) Name

MONROE COUNTY FAIR PAGEANT

Unisex 100% COTTON

Circle and Print Color Choice

White	Black	Ash	Azalea	Cardinal	Carolina Blue	Charcoal	Cobalt *	Coral Silk	Daisy	Dark Chocolate
Dark Heather	Electric Green	Forest Green	Gold	Graphite Heather	Heather Navy	Heather Red	Heather Sapphire	Heliconia	Irish Green	Light Blue
Light Pink	Lime	Maroon	Military Green	Mint Green	Navy	Neon Green *	Orange	Purple	Red	Royal
Safety Green	Safety Orange	Safety Pink *	Sapphire	Sky	Sport Grey	Tennessee Orange	Tropical Blue	Violet	Yellow Haze	

SHIRT COLOR CHOICE: _____

NAME:

PHONE #:

TEAM NAME:

SPONSORED BY:
(Please Print Clearly)

ITEM	PRICE	TOTAL
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YOUTH SHIRT SIZES

Sizes	YOUTH	YOUTH SMALL	YOUTH MED.	YOUTH LG.	YOUTH XL	Total # Shirts	
Quantity \$18/ea							Total Cost

ADULT SHIRT SIZES

Sizes	ADULT	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL <small>* COLORS NOT AVAIL. IN 4XL</small>	Total # Shirts	
Quantity \$20/ea										Total Cost

Please make payments by cash or Venmo only
ALL ORDERS MUST BE TURNED IN BY June 15, 2026

Limited colors
 Avl. in 5xl
 contact RuAnna
 if needed

GRAND TOTAL



VENMO
 @MamaRu59



2026 Monroe County Fair Queen & Little Miss Pageant Sponsor Program

Support our queens and showcase your business!

Sponsorship Levels

	Platinum Crown \$1,000+	Includes Logo
	Diamond Crown \$500+	Includes Logo
	Crown \$250	Includes Logo
	Blue Ribbon \$150	
	Red Ribbon \$100	
	White Ribbon \$50	

Sponsorship Benefits

- 4 Social Media Posts
- Banner on Summer Parade Floats
- Banner at Pageant Night, Fair Week, & Queen's Gator
- Ad in Fair Book & Republic Times recap
- Program recognition
- Verbal mention at Pageants

Deadline Due: April 24, 2026



Call or Text: 618-210-9771



Email: mocoilpageantdirector@gmail.com



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