



April 28-30, 2023

State Finals

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Nationals Preliminary

Miss Kentucky Bluegrass *April 28-30, 2023*



<input type="checkbox"/> 0-11 months/Baby Miss	<input type="checkbox"/> 13-14 years/Mini Teen
<input type="checkbox"/> 12-23 months/Wee Miss	<input type="checkbox"/> 15-16 years/Teen
<input type="checkbox"/> 2 years/Tiny Miss	<input type="checkbox"/> 17-23 years/Miss
<input type="checkbox"/> 3 years/Petite Miss	<input type="checkbox"/> 24-36 years (unmarried)/Ms.
<input type="checkbox"/> 4 years/Young Miss	<input type="checkbox"/> 24-45 years (married)/Mrs.
<input type="checkbox"/> 5-6 years/Little Miss	<input type="checkbox"/> 37-55 years/Ky's Woman
<input type="checkbox"/> 7-8 years /Junior Miss	<input type="checkbox"/> 13-17 (dress size 14+)/Modern Teen
<input type="checkbox"/> 9-10 years/Junior Teen	<input type="checkbox"/> 18-23 (dress size 14+)/Modern Miss
<input type="checkbox"/> 11-12 years/PreTeen	<input type="checkbox"/> 24-55 (dress size 14+)/Modern Woman

Contestant Name: _____

Qualifying Pageant: _____ Regional Title: _____

Birthdate: _____ Age as of April 1, 2023: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Hair Color: _____ Eye Color: _____

School: _____ Grade: _____

One Unique Thing About You: _____

Community Service Involvement: _____

Sponsors: _____

By signing this entry form I understand the contests of this packet and agree with all rules and regulations of Miss Kentucky Bluegrass. All information above is correct and true. I understand there are no refunds, transfers, or forwarding of fees paid. Miss Kentucky Bluegrass/AmeriFest LLC, host venues, judges, staff, or other affiliated parties are not responsible for injuries during, traveling to or from the event or stolen items. We reserve the right to substitute any gifts or prizes for those of equal or greater value.

Poor sportsmanship will result in disqualification of titles and/or any prize or competing within the Miss Kentucky Bluegrass/AmeriFest systems in the future. Judges decisions are final and will not be disputed.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

REQUIRED FEES:

- Registration Fee \$150 (Free with 1 Ad)
- Program Ad Fee \$150

ONE INCLUDED OPTIONAL:

- Fashion Model (all ages allowed)
- Talent (9 & up allowed)
- Swimsuit (15 & Up allowed)

ADDITIONAL OPTIONALS:

- Fashion Model (all ages allowed) \$50
 - Talent (9 & up allowed) \$50
 - Swimsuit (15 & Up allowed) \$50
- Your lowest score(s) will be dropped.

OTHER:

- Photogenic \$40
- Program Book \$25

TOTALS:

- _____ Total Entering
- _____ Deposits
- _____ Due at Pageant
- _____ Total Ads (minimum of 1)

Judging Criteria

Contestants are asked to invite an escort to join her on stage in the formal gown competition. Escorts should wear mostly black or dark colored suit or nice outfit. If you do not have one, one will be provided for you.

AGES 0-8

Baby Miss (0-11 months)

Wee Miss (12-23 months)

Tiny Miss (2 years)

Petite Miss (3 years)

Young Miss (4 years)

Little Miss (5-6 years)

Junior Miss (7-8 years)

Opening Parade of Contestants:

White denim jeans (no holes), hot pink top of your choice, shoe of choice with your regional title sash.

Fashion Model:

Your choice of outfit - think fun and sassy!

Formal Dress:

Your choice

Contestants will start the show with the parade of contestants, then compete in fashion model/runway followed by formal dress.

**Total scores will be gown and runway combined.*

Rehearsals:

Official event tee and dark denim shorts.

Opening Number:

White denim jeans (no holes), hot pink top of your choice, nude heels, and your regional title sash.

Interview:

Any professional look that is age appropriate.

Optionals:

Fashion Model - Your choice of outfit - think fun and sassy!

Talent - Any performing art or skill you can showcase in the 90 second time limit.

Swimsuit (Teen+) - 1 or 2 piece

Formal Dress:

Your choice

Contestants will start the show with opening number, then compete in fashion model followed by formal dress.

Modern divisional contestants must be a 14+ dress size.

**Total scores will be interview, gown, and highest optional combined.*

AGES 9 & UP

Junior Teen (9-10 years)

Pre Teen (11-12 years)

Mini Teen (13-14 years)

Teen (15-16 years)

Miss (17-23 years)

Ms (24-36 years, unmarried)

Mrs (24-45 years, married)

Ky's Woman (37-55 years)

Modern Teen (13-17 years)

Modern Miss (18-23 years)

Modern Woman (24-55 years)

State Civic Queens

Divisional Civic Queens qualify for AmeriFest Nationals! To enter, submit a resume containing your name, age, photo, and community service(s) you want to showcase; along with a statement of what your service means to you. There is a 2 page maximum. This is free to enter and is an optional (having no bearing on your overall score). Please postmark by 03/27/23.

State Photogenic Queens

Divisional Miss Bluegrass Photogenic Queens qualify for AmeriFest Nationals! Please submit 3 photos through mail, no larger than 8x10, or online. These will be returned if mailed. Winners will be printed in the program book.

State Ambassador Queens

See attached Sponsorship Program sheet for complete details.

TOP IN EACH AGE DIVISION QUALIFIES FOR AMERIFEST NATIONALS!



*Pageant
Venue*

Somerset, Kentucky is the hope of the beautiful Lake Cumberland, unique restaurants, shopping, and of course this facility - The Center for Rural Development. They host conferences, contests, conventions and for the 8th year, Miss Kentucky Bluegrass with its state-of-the-art auditorium and stage. You will love it here!

Mailing Address

Miss Kentucky Bluegrass
P.O. Box 1174
Richmond, Ky 40476



*Host
Hotel*

The beautiful Courtyard Marriott is our host hotel conveniently located right next door to the Center for Rural Development. Use our special discount rate of \$129/\$139 and book early. The block expires March 27th (possibly before if the block is full). All interviews will be conducted at the hotel on Saturday during the day. Further events may be announced to stay tuned to the Facebook event page and website. Call to book directly at 606-679-0090 with code: Miss Kentucky Bluegrass.

*Check
List*

- Entry Form & Fee by 3/27**
*\$150 entry fee may be paid at pageant if your ad page and fee are submitted by 3/20
- Required Ad Page & Fee by 3/27**
*Submit online or postmark, print-ready ad and payment
- Photogenic Photo**
*\$40 fee paid on entry form online or at pageant registration
- Book Hotel by 3/27**

Bluegrass Sponsorship Program

The Bluegrass sponsorship Program is designed to help contestants to earn their fees paid to the state competitions and so much more! The program book showcases each contestant in the pageant with their photo, name, age, and regional title. Each contestant is also required to sell one page in the program book.

As outlined below, you can earn additional incentives for selling more than one ad page. For example, selling two pages satisfies your ad requirement and covers your \$150 entry fee in full! The more pages you sell, the more rewards you will earn! You can even be crowned on stage as a Miss Kentucky Bluegrass Ambassador - which automatically qualifies you for Nationals!

Ad pages should be 8.5x11" and ready to print. you can sell a page to a single person/advertiser or you can have multiple sections to create a full page. For example, 2 advertisers could share a page for \$75 each. Ad pages should be submitted print ready, either uploaded online or postmarked by 03/27.

We suggest asking friends, family, and places of business that your family frequently visit. You can also use social media to share your Bluegrass journey and attract support. You will find it relatively easy to pay your fees with the help of supportive sponsors!

1 PAGE: Required

2 PAGES: Entry fee of \$150 paid plus your 1 page requirement met

3 PAGES: Entry fee of \$150 paid, your 1 page requirement met, sponsorship trophy, and 1 program book

4 PAGES: Entry fee of \$150 paid, your 1 page requirement met, sponsorship trophy, 1 program book, and photogenic category paid.

5 PAGES: Entry fee of \$150 paid, your 1 page requirement met, sponsorship trophy, 1 program book, photogenic category paid, and a rhinestone crown awarded on stage.

6 PAGES: Entry fee of \$150 paid, your 1 page requirement met, sponsorship trophy, 1 program book, photogenic category paid, a rhinestone crown awarded on stage, and 3 weekend passes.

7 PAGES: Entry fee of \$150 paid, your 1 page requirement met, sponsorship trophy, 1 program book, photogenic category paid, a rhinestone crown awarded on stage, 3 weekend passes, and diamond accent jewelry.

8 PAGES: Entry fee of \$150 paid, your 1 page requirement met, sponsorship trophy, 1 program book, photogenic category paid, a rhinestone crown awarded on stage, 3 weekend passes, diamond accent jewelry, a \$50 gas card, and a rhinestone pin.

9 PAGES: Entry fee of \$150 paid, your 1 page requirement met, sponsorship trophy, 1 program book, photogenic category paid, a rhinestone crown awarded on stage, 3 weekend passes, diamond accent jewelry, a \$50 gas card, a rhinestone pin, and \$100 hotel cash.

10 PAGES - Pageant Ambassador: Entry fee of \$150 paid, your 1 page requirement met, sponsorship trophy, 1 program book, photogenic category paid, 3 weekend passes, diamond accent jewelry, a \$50 gas card, a rhinestone pin, \$100 hotel cash, monogrammed ambassador sash, a silver tray, an upgraded full rhinestone round crown, a designer handbag, and a Cancun vacation.

If you are mailing ads they must be print ready. You may also upload jpeg online.

Ads will be printed as received. We do not offer ad design.

Ad pages must be paid IN FULL before they are printed in the book (by 3/27)

Any check payments should be made to AmeriFest LLC. Checks not accepted after 3/27 or at the pageant.

Sponsorship Ad Receipt

If you are mailing in printed copies of your ads, please attach a copy of this form to each ad sold. This form is not required if you submit your ads online.

To my potential sponsor,

Hello, I will be representing my hometown title at the Miss Kentucky Bluegrass state pageant April 28-30! As part of my requirements I must sell at least one ad page for the pageant program. I also have the opportunity to pay for all of my state entry fees and win some amazing prizes if I sell more than the one required page. An exclusive full page ad is \$150, however, any sponsorship amount can be used as we can combine them to make a full page. Ad pages can be mailed in to the office or submitted online. I want to thank you in advance for your consideration in sponsoring me in my journey to become Miss Kentucky Bluegrass and the opportunity to represent Kentucky at Nationals in July. Please contact the pageant office if you have any specific questions regarding the sponsorship or pageant.

Sincerely,

Sold To: _____	Check: _____
Contestant Name : _____	Money Order: _____
Amount: _____	Credit Card: _____ To make a payment, go to https://www.miss-kentuckybluegrass.com 1. Click State Pageant 2. Click "Submit Your Required Ad Page" (to upload and pay) Click "Make A Payment" (to pay and send ad through the mail)

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