Official Packet For

MISS LARGE & LOVELY PAGEANT



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Dear Contestant,

We are thrilled that you have chosen to compete for the title of Miss Large & Lovely! This is a pageant designed for drag queens over 210lbs. Miss Large & Lovely was first produced by ANR Productions in 2007. The pageant transferred owners in 2020 to V&A Productions.

Date - October 20, 2024
Time - Doors 6pm | Pageant 7pm
Mandatory Registration - 1pm
Location - Southern Nights Tampa
Entry Fee - \$200
Tickets - \$10 at the door

Honoring - Miss National Large & Lovely 2024 Kara Belle

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Stage Dimensions - 15' wide, 10' runway, 12'H to clear the lights.



Caption Caption

Rules and Regulations

- 1. Contestants may be male or female and be at least 21 years of age and be able to show proof of age.
- 2. Contestants must be a minimum weight of 210 pounds. You will be weighed in the day of the contest.
- 3. Judging will be based on a total accumulated points system with high and low scores being dropped. Large & Lovely Pageantry System will furnish score sheets. In the event of a category tie, high and low scores will be counted for the parties involved. In the event of a placement tie, the highest talent score will break the tie. Pageant scoring will be done on a cumulative basis.
- 4. Contestants of the National Large & Lovely Pageantry System will be judged in the following five categories: Interview, Evening Gown, Q&A, Talent and Sexy Lingerie.
- 5. The use or dispensing of any drugs will not be tolerated while participating in a Large & Lovely Pageant. Immediate disqualification will result for those who don't adhere to this rule. If usage is detected, it will result in disqualification.
- 6. Contestants are responsible for their backstage helper and dancers. Only one helper will be admitted backstage in the dressing room with the contestant. All other persons in the party will be required to pay the full admission fee. You will lose administrative points if anyone in your party (dancers, dressers, etc.) does not have a paid entry ticket.
- 7. Any type of talent is acceptable, except for those that are illegal or that may cause personal injury to contestants, audience or judges. No fire, water or glitter under any circumstances will be tolerated.

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- 8. Talent presentations will be limited to (5) minutes. No score will be given in the talent category for any presentation over the above mentioned limit. Prop set up and break down time will be limited to a total of three (3) minutes and will not be included in the five (5) minute limit.
- 9. Talent music should be emailed to aaron.a.bailey@gmail.com clearly labeled with your name.
- 10. Any contestant, contestant's helper or dancer(s) who is caught in the act of stealing, intentional destruction or tampering with another person's possessions will be immediately disqualified and will result in the removal from the contest and venue. This may also result in legal action.
- 11. Large & Lovely Pageantry System does not discriminate against contestants with silicone or taking hormones. The use of silicone and/or hormones will not be considered in judging or scoring of contestants.
- 12. The winner of this pageant will be required to sign a contract for the year of her reign before any prize monies are presented. Please make yourself familiar with the TERMS and CONDITIONS of this CONTRACT.
- 13. Once a contestant has qualified to enter the National Miss Large & Lovely Pageant, they may not enter any other prelim in the same year. There are NO exceptions to this rule!
- 14. Any contestant whose actions are interpreted as demeaning or belittling to Large & Lovely Pageantry System will be disqualified. Large & Lovely Pageantry System reserves the right to make any decision concerning any matter that may or may not be covered by these Rules and Regulations.

Category Descriptions

Interview – Contestants will meet individually with the judges for a total of 5 minutes. Questions will not be political in nature. Contestants will be judged on their personality, interview content and confidence during the interview. This is the "business" portion of the pageant. We are looking for someone who we feel will handle any administrative duties with professionalism. You should have some knowledge on the Miss Large and Lovely system.

50 Points: General Appearance (1-10), Confidence/ Personality/Comfort Level of Contestant (1-20), Content/ Ability to speak clearly and communicate thoughts (1-20)

Evening Gown – Each contestant will be judged one at a time in a full-length evening gown. It may be made of any materials, color, style, and fashion that the contestant chooses. Contestants will be judged on gown selection, fit, hair, makeup, accessories, modeling ability, and general appearance.

40 Points: Fit (1-10), Jewelry, Hair and Makeup (1-10), Modeling (1-10), Overall Look and Impression (1-10)

Question and Answer – Contestants will randomly choose a question on stage and answer to the best of their ability. They will be judged on their answer as well as the ability to speak and communicate clearly.

40 Points: Did they answer the question (1-20), Did they speak and communicate clearly (1-20)

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<u>Talent</u> – Each contestant will be judged in a Talent selection of their choice. It may be of any type that will not put themselves or the audience in danger. No Excessive Glitter, Powder, Food, No Fire, and No Water may be used in this category. The actual talent is limited to five (5) minutes. There is a three (3) minute limit total set-up and tear down time if needed for props or preparation. Administrative points will be deducted for time infractions. DO NOT GO OVER THE TIME LIMIT! Contestants will be judged on Talent Ability (Lip Sync, Dance, Live Vocal, Etc.) Entertainment Value, Costuming & Makeup, Sound Quality, and effectiveness of props and dancers if used. Remember, if you put props and/or dancers on stage with you, they will be judged as well!

80 Points: Style and Costuming (1-20), Quality (Lip synch, vocal, dancers and choreography) (1-20), Entertainment Value (1-20), Overall Look and Impression (1-20)

Sexy Lingerie – Each contestant will be judged one at a time in a sexy lingerie of their choice. It can be made of any materials, color, style and fashion that the contestant chooses. Contestants will be judged on fit, hair, makeup, accessories, modeling ability and general appearance. Remember, this should be functional lingerie- not a costume!

40 Points: Fit (1-10), Modeling (1-10), Technical (hair, makeup, accessories) (1-10), Overall Look and Impression (1-10)

Prize Package Break Down

WINNER

- -\$3000 CASH
 - -\$1,800 at crowning
 - -\$400 at promo release (within 45 days of pageant)
 - -\$400 at six month mark (April 20, 2025)
 - -\$400 at step down
- -Custom embellished punchbowl crown
- -Sash
- -Custom jewelry set

1st Alternate

-\$300 CASH

2nd Alternate

-\$200 CASH

V&A Productions Contestant Agreement (Miss Large & Lovely)

A V&A Productions titleholder is expected to behave in a professional manner both onstage and offstage and acknowledges that they will take on the job of promoting and entertaining on behalf of the company during their reign as an V&A Productions titleholder.

Expectations of a V&A Productions titleholder:

The V&A Productions titleholder may compete in one national pageant during their reign as Miss Large & Lovely.

I understand that the payment schedule should I be named Miss Large & Lovely is as follows: \$1800 the night of the pageant, \$400 upon the approval of a professional promotional photograph within 45 days of my win, \$400 at the six month mark of my reign, and \$400 at the Miss Large and Lovely 2024 pageant as my step-down. I further understand that my failure to appear or furnish an adequate photograph within the 45 day period will result in the forfeiture of the above mentioned monies.

The appearance of an V&A Productions titleholder should be professional at all times. The V&A Productions titleholder agrees to keep a valid cellular telephone number in service during the year of her reign and shall return telephone calls and email correspondence in a timely manner.

The V&A Productions titleholder will assist in the planning and promotion when needed and requested, of the next Miss Large & Lovely Pageant.

The V&A Productions titleholder is expected to motivate contestants and increase the contestant base by promoting the pageant.

I agree that any terms and/or conditions not outlined in this agreement are to be decided upon by Vincent and Aaron, owners of V&A Productions and/or the board of directors set into place. I further agree that the terms and conditions of this contract may change throughout the course of my reign and may change without notice.

I agree by competing that I will be filmed/photographed and my image/likeness could be used for future promotion of any and all V&A Productions events both locally and internationally. I further understand that I will not be compensated for this footage and authorize V&A Productions to use this footage as they deem necessary.

Legal Name & Stage Name	
Signature	
Phone Number	Date

Miss Large & Lovely Questionnaire

Stage Name	Contesta	nt #
Current City	Originally From	
Favorite Color	Zodiac Sign	
Favorite Food		
First Drag Song Performe	ed	
	Lovely because	
	ok up to and why	
Something People Should	d Know About Me	
Gown by	Hair by	
Jewelry by	Makeup by	