



# LITTLE MISS CEREMONIAL

## Contestant Application



**Pageant Dates: August 4<sup>th</sup> 2026 to August 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

**Application Deadline: June 26, 2026**

**Acceptance Decision: June 29, 2026**

**July 6, 2026 (if mailed)**

### *Submission Instruction:*

- *Typed (preferred), Handwritten must be scanned and submitted.*
- *Do not send photographs of application to email, social media, or text message, it will not be accepted.*
- *Return your completed application to:*
  - Email: [centennialqueencajun@gmail.com](mailto:centennialqueencajun@gmail.com) Copy: [gallupceremonialoffice@gmail.com](mailto:gallupceremonialoffice@gmail.com)
  - Mail: ATTN: Queen Pageant (206 W. Coal Ave. Gallup, NM 87301)
    - Send an email to [centennialqueencajun@gmail.com](mailto:centennialqueencajun@gmail.com) as a notification for application mail-submission.
  - Drop off Location: Gallup Ceremonial Office 206 W. Coal Ave., Gallup, NM 87301
  - Completed applications must be emailed, dropped-off, or mailed by June 29, 2026 5PM.
- Acceptance Decisions will be made by June 29, 2026 for those who dropped-off their application or emailed. Otherwise mailed applications will have to wait 5-working days for acceptance. **It is your responsibility to ensure the coordinator is aware of the mailed application.**
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## **GALLUP INTERTRIBAL CEREMONIAL EVENT**

The first Gallup Inter-Tribal Ceremonial was held September 28, 1922, and primarily and uniquely features Native American and Indigenous diverse intertribal culture and art in both traditional and contemporary presentations. Thousands of Native American and Indigenous participants, some generational, have shared songs, dances, art, and culture. The event is held annually in August at the Red Rock Park, which is located 10 minutes east of downtown Gallup, New Mexico. This prestigious event is to serve, promote, and perpetuate Native American culture and crafts.

## **LITTLE MISS GALLUP INTER-TRIBAL INDIAN CEREMONIAL PAGEANT**

The Little Miss Gallup Inter-Tribal Indian Ceremonial pageant began in 2018, when the Gallup Inter-Tribal Indian Ceremonial hosted a Tiny Tot pageant for both boys and girls. The titles began with the Ceremonial Tiny Tot Princess and Ceremonial Tiny Tot Brave. In which they both represented together at youth levels. Since 2021, the title has become Little Miss Ceremonial or Inter-Tribal Indian Little Miss Ceremonial, focusing on providing the opportunity of sisterhood with Miss Gallup Inter-Tribal Indian Ceremonial Queen, to little girls of any tribal affiliation. Now, we provide this opportunity to any young girl with the courage and young initiative from the ages seven to ten (7-10) years, to represent alongside our Miss Gallup Inter-Tribal Indian Ceremonial Queen for one year.

The 2026-2027 Little Miss Ceremonial pageant will be crowned during the Gallup Inter-Tribal Indian Ceremonial event, August 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026. Upon crowning, she will become the caretaker of the crown during her reign, however, the crown will remain the property of the City of Gallup. She will represent alongside the Miss Gallup Inter-Tribal Indian Ceremonial Queen with her own initiative and goals, while representing youth and future generations of Native American and Indigenous peoples.



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## Qualifications and Competition Categories

### Contestant Qualifications:

- Native American/Indigenous, born female, within the age of 7-10 years.
- Candidate must have reached the age of 7 years old on or before the first day of the competition, and will not have reached the age of 11 years old when the pageant begins.
- Verifiable Tribal Affiliation, contestant must provide tribal ID or tribal affiliations documents.
- Some knowledge in Tribal Traditions and Language(s).

### Competition Categories:

- Personality Photo
- Public Speaking
- Traditional Talent Presentation w/ Traditional Attire Showcase

Judges will use a **5-point scale** to rate contestants' criteria met in each category:

- 1 - Lowest
- 2 - Fair
- 3 - Average
- 4 - Good
- 5 - Excellent

There will be whole number rates, no .5, .25, etc., options.

**Prizes:** Little Miss Ceremonial – City of Gallup crown (on lend for one-year), shawl, woven sash, and other donated miscellaneous items.



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### **Contestant Affirmation:**

I \_\_\_\_\_ (print/type parent name) certify that my daughter's \_\_\_\_\_ (print/type contestant's name) information and the contents contained herein and in other submitted documents are true and correct. I certify that my daughter's documents must be submitted by June 29, 2026 by 5 PM MST, via email, drop-off, or mailed submissions.

Contestant Typed Name:

Parent Typed Name:

Parent Signature:

Date:

Note: If any document does not contain a signature, please type your name and a signature will be received on Orientation Day (August 4<sup>th</sup>, 2026).



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## Contestant Application

### Contestant Information:

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Secondary Phone Number (required): \_\_\_\_\_

Parent Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Contestant's Tribe(s): \_\_\_\_\_

### Parents/Gaurdians:

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

Tribe(s): \_\_\_\_\_

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

Tribe(s): \_\_\_\_\_

I, as the parent, affirm that the information provided in this cover letter is truthful and represents my daughter's genuine experience and qualifications. \_\_\_\_\_



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## Contestant Application

### EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE

Name : \_\_\_\_\_

#### EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND :

Level of Education	School Name	Year
_____	_____	_____
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### REQUIRED DOCUMENTS

#### **Tribal Affiliation:**

- CIB or Tribal ID for proof of Tribal Affiliation.

#### **Age:**

- Birth Certificate

**Submit with your application by June 26, 2026 by 5 PM (MST).**

Little Miss Ceremonial must remain in school for the time of her reign. Quarterly unofficial transcripts/grade reports may be requested, or a letter from school.



# LITTLE MISS CEREMONIAL

## Competition: Traditional Talent

### **Description:**

- Contestants will have the opportunity to demonstrate their cultural and traditional knowledge from their tribe(s), by presenting a talent, skill, storytelling, dancing, or singing. The presentation **will** be a ticketed event, with a live audience.

### **Judging Criteria:**

- Creativity, Poise, Personality, & Enthusiasm
- Traditional Talent Choice
- Cultural Knowledge
- Language Usage (Bilingual, you must translate!)
- Preparedness & Overall Presentation

**Set Up:** You may have help with stage set up from the assigned crew + one parent, for items, props to be taken on and off the stage. (The chaperone will work with the stage manager on your set-up.)

### **Rules:**

- Assistance: On-stage assistance (i.e., other dancers, singers, etc.) will be limited to three (3) individuals. Personal helpers, other dancers, singers, & chaperons are not allowed backstage. (Stage Assistance will usher them upstage for you.)
- Props:
  - Contestants may use pre-recorded music, submit with application! You may submit the link, file, or share the title for us to use!
  - Contestants will provide their own props to be used during presentation.
  - Maximum number of props allowed: 5
    - Must not weigh more than 10 pounds.
    - Must not be larger than 6 ft. x 4 ft.
- Not allowed:
  - Computer Presentations
  - Contemporary Presentations
  - Video Equipment
  - Live Animals
  - Open Fire or flame-producing equipment

### **Guidelines:**

- Time Length: each contestant will prepare a presentation from 5 minutes to 10 minutes, the time length for each presentation will be depicted among the number of submissions received. (Time length subject to change, but you will be notified!)

**Return talent demonstration form with your application by June 26, 2026.**

**Event Competition will take place at the Marland Aitson Amphitheater on August 6th, 2026 at 2 PM.**



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## Competition: Traditional Talent FORM

**Deadline to submit with application: June 26, 2026 @ 5 PM MST**

**Name.** title, or subject of Traditional Talent Presentation (create a title for the demonstration, or what you will be presenting):

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**Describe** what your Traditional Talent Presentation will be on (5 Maximum Sentences):

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**Stage Assistance:** What kind of help, and how many stage-assistants will you need for your demonstration?

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Will you need a microphone stand? \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be using pre-recorded music, if so include information (file, link, etc.):

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**Event will take place at the El Morro Theater Downtown Gallup on August 6<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 2 PM in Red Rock Park – Marland Aitson Amphitheater. You will get daily itineraries for check-in and rehearsals. Plan accordingly!  
If you have any other concerns for supplies, please contact the coordinator!**



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## Competition: Traditional Attire Showcase

### Description:

- Contestants will have an opportunity to describe the significance and representation of their traditional attire from their tribe(s). She will also model the attire as needed.

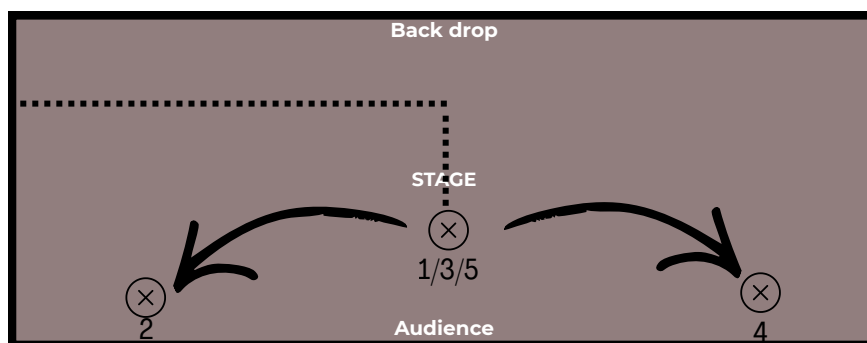
### Judging Criteria: Rubric will be as below for each topic.

- Poise, Personality, & Enthusiasm
- Attire: Neatness, Authenticity, and Creativity.
- Quality & flow of description.
- Overall Showcase

**Set Up:** Each contestant will go on stage following the Traditional Talent competitions to showcase, and present the significance and representation behind their traditional regalia. She will also be able to model the regalia prior to her description, to music chosen by the pageant committee.

### Rules:

- Contestants will receive three (3) minutes to model, and describe her regalia. A microphone will be given to her, once she looks to the Emcee.
- Contestants will get one chance to model and explain her regalia.
- Contestant may not read off any documents or screens during her presentation, she may have a parent describe if absolutely needed.
- Contestant may come up with her own modeling pattern, but must maintain a modest poise throughout pattern.
  - If contestant does not have a pattern, she may use the one below. Walking pattern may not exceed one minute.
  - Contestant will walk on stage, on the dotted lines, then strike a pose at 1. Then will walk to pose 2, come back to the center (3), and then go to pose 4, and finally close out at pose 5, and walk off the stage.



**Traditional Attire Competition will take place at Red Rock Park – Marland Aitson Amphitheater, after the Traditional Talent competition 2 PM on August 6<sup>th</sup>, 2026.**



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## Competition: Public Speaking

### **Description:**

- Contestants will have the opportunity to demonstrate their public speaking skills through four (4) impromptu questions, that will allow for 1-minute responses. She will also have the opportunity to introduce herself in her language, and state her platform, before the questions have been asked.

### **Judging Criteria:**

- Poise, Personality, & Enthusiasm
- Quality of Answer

**Set Up:** Each contestant will go up, introduce themselves, state their platform, and choose two questions from the pot to answer. (Contestants will go in numerical order.)

### **Rules:**

- The contestants family will not be shouting or mouthing any answers when questions are asked.
- Contestants will get one request to repeat the questions.
- Contestants cannot get a re-worded version of the chosen-questions.

### **Impromptu Questions:**

- What is your platform as a Little Miss Ceremonial contestant, that you will execute throughout your reign if you win?
- Who inspired you to become an ambassador?
- If you could have dinner with any famous person in the world, who would it be and what would you talk about?
- What is your favorite traditional food and why?

**Public Speaking Competition will take place at the Little Miss Ceremonial Pageant at Red Rock Park – Marland Aitson Amphitheater, on August 6<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 2 PM.**



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## Photographs

### **Competition Description:**

- Contestants will submit a photo for the submission into the Little Miss Photogenic Competition, the photo may involve your personality, creativity, or a passion with you in it! Be creative!
- Both photos will be presented throughout the Opening Night event, for Little Miss Photogenic Voting at the Exhibit Hall, Red Rock Park, Gallup, NM!
  - Voting from Facebook Post will be used, as a tie-breaker, if needed. Casted from the Contestant Announcement photos.

**Set Up:** Each contestant will submit two photos used for including, but not limited to contestant announcements, GITICA Media, and GITICP media usages for pageant promotion.

- One photo will be required to be in your full traditional regalia, professionally done for high resolution quality. This will be utilized for media, and announcements.
  - Portrait photos accepted. (Hips up)
  - Full Body or Half Body also accepted.
- One photo will be used as your personality photo, the theme of the photo must be of your life/action activity that explains your personality. Be creative!
  - Examples: caring for livestock, cooking, dancing, any hobby, or passion!
  - Half body, or Full body acceptable.

### **Rules:**

- High resolution photos
- Email the JPG. photo!
- Do not embed your photos with the application.
- Do not send a candid photo or selfie.
- Do not Embed a photo within a document.
- Do not ass or utilize any social media filters, text, shapes, frames, stretching, or logos on the photo.
- Do not include a PDF of your photo if you provide a hardcopy application. **All photos must be submitted via email to: centennialqueencajun@gmail.com.**
- Both (2) photos are due with your application submission.

**Little Miss Photogenic Competition will take place at the Exhibit Hall, on Opening Night at Exhibit Hall – Red Rock Park, on August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2026 at 6PM-8PM.**



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## Pageant Contestant Release and Authorization (1 Page)

**Deadline: Return with application by June 26, 2026**

By my participation as the parent/chaperone, and my daughter's participation in the Little Miss Ceremonial Pageant and my signature below, I affirm my acknowledgement of the following:

- My daughter is at least seven (7) years old and fully competent to give my voluntary consent to participate in all pageant events.
- I understand and assumed all risks of injury while my daughter competes in the pageant activities.
- My daughter is in good physical condition and capable of participating in the pageant.

I hereby consent to photography, audio recording, and videotaping of myself and/or my daughter for commercial or promotional purposes. I authorize that the Gallup Inter-Tribal Indian Ceremonial Association to create video and/or still images and audio recordings to me to be exhibited on broadcast television or radio, on the world-wide web, or in any print medium in perpetuity. I further agree that my name and identity, including my daughter's will be used in descriptive context or commentary in connection with the image(s). All negatives, prints, and digital productions shall be the property of the Gallup Inter-Tribal Indian Ceremonial Queen Pageants. \_\_\_ (initial)

I hereby release to the Pageant Committee and the Gallup Inter-Tribal Indian Ceremonial Association from all liability and waive any causes of act Little Miss Ceremonial Pageant, including without limitation, all claims, injuries, costs, losses, and damages related to personal injuries, death, damage to or destruction of property, rights of publicity or privacy. \_\_\_ (initial)

Contestant Name (print):

Parent Name (print):

Parent Signature:

Date:

Address:

Phone & Email:

Note: If you are emailing your information, you may type your signature. A written signature will be required during Pageant Contestant Orientation Day.



# LITTLE MISS CEREMONIAL

## Pageant Contestant Code of Conduct (2 Pages)

**Deadline: Return with application by June 26, 2026**

By participating in the Little Miss Ceremonial Pageant and my signature below, I affirm my acknowledgement of the following:

- Contestants, chaperones & family must always maintain a positive attitude and be a person of good moral character during all pageant events & competitions.
- Contestants, chaperones & family must always be courteous, polite, and act in a professional manner to fellow contestants, staff, personnel, families, and all others.
- Contestants, chaperones & family must not make any negative comments about the pageant, personnel, royalty, fellow contestants, judges, staff, or sponsors. Any contestant found publicly posting slanderous remarks on public forums will be immediately disqualified.
- Contestants, chaperones & family must not smoke, take drugs, or drink alcohol in public at any time or be present in any photo with a cigarette/cigar, drugs or any alcohol drinks.
- Contestants, chaperones & family must ensure that any personal websites, social medias, or blogs she maintains will be a present positive image, and will not contain any negative postings, or inappropriate photos/language, any contestant/contestant family found publicly posting slanderous remarks on public forums will be immediately disqualified.
- Contestants, chaperones, & family must be respectful of everyone's time and be punctual to all scheduled events.
- Contestants must provide timely communication responses and meet *all* deadlines.
- Contestants must attend and remain at all pageant scheduled events during the week.
- Contestants & Chaperones must advise her family, and friends, that **no one** is allowed in any designated "contestant only" areas, dressing rooms, backstage, or on-stage.
- Contestants, chaperones, & family agree to participate in maintaining a healthy environment and promoting behavior.
- Contestants, chaperones, & family agree to the contestant required to wear her sash and contestant ribbon number for all pageant events scheduled.
- Contestants, chaperones & family agree to being cooperative, understanding, and aware of scheduled events throughout the pageant week.

Initial to acknowledge your reviewal and understanding for page one. \_\_\_\_  
(end of page one – see next page)



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- Contestants, chaperones, & family agree to the “Be Ready” rule, that is applied for all events; each contestant must be at least one-hour early to each competition. Unless specified. (2-point deduction can result from contestant being unprepared.)
  - Contestants acknowledge that the GITIC Pageant Committee will provide assistance for all competition events, any parents and chaperones will not be allowed to assist during competitions. **Exception for Little Miss Ceremonial contestants, they are allowed one-parent assistance.**
- Contestants, chaperones, & family must not use slander or make any negative comments about the GITIC pageant, GITICA, and any events incorporated.
- Contestants, chaperones, & family must abide by the attire requirement for each event.
- Contestants, chaperones, & family understand that should the Gallup Inter-Tribal Indian Ceremonial Pageant Contestant, chaperone, or family disobey any of these codes, this can result in an immediate disqualification from the competition.
- Contestants, chaperones, & family must acknowledge the following:
  - 2 Point deduction if contestant is continuously late to pageant competition events, points deducted after two (2) tardies.
  - 2 Point deduction if contestant or chaperone is found with an unprofessional behavior toward pageant committee, fellow contestants, and any/all personnel of the GITIC event.
  - All point deduction situations will be reviewed by the Pageant Committee & tabulator before the final decision is made.
- Contestants, chaperones, & family must acknowledge that any complaints, concerns, or suggestions must be in letter form and made to the Pageant Coordinator – Cajun Cleveland for review. All complaints must be made via email to [centennialqueencajun@gmail.com](mailto:centennialqueencajun@gmail.com)
- Contestants, chaperones, & family must acknowledge that any failure to comply with any of the codes of the GITIC Pageant Contestant Code of Conduct will result in a disqualification from the whole competition, and she will forfeit her place.

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## Pageant Itinerary (subject to change)

### **Tuesday – August 4<sup>th</sup>, 2026 | Orientation Day | 4 PM to 7 PM**

Location: Quintana's Event Center, Downtown Gallup (Across Sammy C's)

- Combined Contestant Check-In 4 PM (both Queen & Little Miss contestants)
  - Acknowledgement & Code of Conduct Signatures
  - Judging Basket Submission
- Agenda:
  - Opening Prayer
  - Introductions
  - Welcome Address
  - Appreciation Speeches by Tewa & Gizelle (5 Minutes each!)
  - Ice-Breaker & Dinner Served
  - Contestant Gifting & Drawing of Numerical Orders
  - Contestant Sashing

### **Wednesday – August 5<sup>th</sup>, 2026 | Royalty Luncheon | 12 PM to 2 PM**

Location: Fire Rock Casino, Gallup, New Mexico

- Contestant Check-In & Rehearsals (10 AM – Queen Contestants Only, **LMC Optional**)
- Agenda:
  - Opening Prayer
  - Welcome Address (Tewakeedah & Gizelle)
  - Introductions: Pageant Committee, Contestants (Queen & Little Miss), etc.
  - Lunch Served & Entertainment by
  - Public Speaking Competition: **Judged Competition (5 minutes each)**
    - Introductions & Platform Statement
    - Impromptu Questions (1-minute responses)
  - Farewell Speech by Gizelle & Tewakeedah (15-30 minutes)
  - Gifting
    - Royalty
    - Sponsors
  - Closing Remarks

Opening Night at Red Rock Park, Gallup, NM | 6 PM-8PM (Not required for LMC Contestants)

- Voting for Photogenic at Pageant Booth!
  - Contestants may walk around encouraging audience to vote.
  - Door Prize Drawing
  - Queen Contestant Introduction in Wine Gala (must be 18+)



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Pageant Itinerary (subject to change)

**Thursday – August 6<sup>th</sup>, 2026 | Tradition Food Competition & Little Miss Ceremonial Pageant at Marland Aitson Amphitheater – Red Rock Park, Gallup, NM**

Traditional Food Competition 11 AM - 1 PM (Queen Contestants Only)

- Queen Contestant Check-In (9 AM)
  - Rehearsals
  - Personal Interviews: **Judged Queen Competition**
- Agenda:
  - Opening Prayer & Remarks
  - Traditional Foods Presentations (5- 10 minute presentations) **Judged Queen Competition**
    - Contestant 1 to last contestant.
  - Traditional Food Tasting — **Judged Queen Competition**
    - 5-minute Conversations with judges!
    - Judging of conversation, and food.
  - Closing Remarks

Note: Plan for the hot day, bring your water bottle, and umbrella, especially for your family. We will have refreshments!

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## Little Miss Ceremonial Pageant Judging Competition

- **Contestant Check-In (12 PM)**
- **Agenda: 2 PM to 4 PM**
  - **Opening Prayer**
  - **Welcome Address**
  - **Contestant Introductions**
  - **Traditional Talent Presentations**
  - **Public Speaking Competition**
  - **Traditional Regalia Modeling**
  - **Closing Remarks**

## Night Parade Downtown Gallup, NM (7PM)— Not Judged, But Required Participation

- **Contestant Meet-Up at Glenn's Bakery (6PM | Both Queen & LMC)**
  - **Walking in parade!**
  - **Chaperones may walk behind group.**
  - **Released after the group gets to the end.**



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## Pageant Itinerary (subject to change)

**Friday, August 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026** | Traditional Talent (Queen Contestants Only) & Coronation Native Fashion Showcase (12PM-2PM) El Morro Theater, Downtown Gallup

- Rehearsals 9 AM
- Preparation 10 AM - 12 PM

Traditional Talent Presentations El Morro Theater, Downtown Gallup (**QUEEN COMPETITION ONLY**)

- Agenda: (2 PM to 4 PM)
  - Welcome Address
  - Opening Prayer
  - Introductions
    - Royalty & Pageant Committee (Walking)
    - Little Miss Ceremonial Contestants (Walking)
    - Queen Contestants (Walking)
    - Judges (Standing)
    - Sponsors
  - Traditional Talent Presentations (5-10 minutes) **Judged Queen Competition**
  - Traditional Attire Modeling — **Judged Queen Competition**
  - Entertainment
  - Closing Remarks

Royalty Coronation (7 PM) at Red Rock Park Main Arena (**Both Queen & LMC Contestants — Not Judged, But Participation Required**)

- Contestant Check-In at Exhibit Hall Pageant Booth (6 PM)
- Rehearsal Discussion
- Agenda: 7 PM to 7:45 PM
  - Introductions: Emcee, Pageant Committee, Royalty, & Contestants (LMC → Queen)
  - Awards:
    - Little Miss Ceremonial
      - Photogenic
      - Spirit Award
    - Queen
      - Photogenic
      - Congeniality
      - Best Essay
  - Placing: 3<sup>rd</sup> Runner Up, 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner Up, 1<sup>st</sup> Runner Up, New Queen/LMC
    - LMC → Queen



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## New Little Miss Ceremonial Itinerary (subject to change)

Should you become the new Little Miss Ceremonial 2026-2027, this will be your schedule for the remainder of the week!

### **Friday, August 7<sup>th</sup>, 2026** | Night Performances (8 PM) Red Rock Park Main Arena

- Grand Entry & Formal Introduction from Emcee.
- Sit & Watch the dances from 8 PM to End.

### **Saturday, August 8<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

Saturday Morning Parade (9 AM) Downtown Gallup

- Be at Glenn's Bakery by 8 AM.
- Your family may walk behind you.
- Ensure to have two (2) banner holders!
- Walk parade to the end.

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Saturday Park Events to Appear & Introduce yourself:

- Song & Dance (Beginning at 11 AM)
  - Stop by, introduce yourself.
  - You may participate!
- Open Rodeo (At 1:30 PM)
  - Stop by & introduce yourself!
  - May be asked to sing National Anthem, help with grand entry or Award Photos.
- Amphitheater Performances (1 PM - 7 PM)
  - Stop in, introduce yourself, & mingle!
- Gourd Dance (2 PM)
  - You may participate, but stop by and introduce yourself!
- Pow Wow (Grand Entry at 7:30 PM)
- Night Performances (8 PM)
  - Check-In by 7:30 PM
  - Participate in Grand Entry at 8 PM
  - Sit in on performances til end.

### **Sunday, August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

- Short-Go Sunday Rodeo (12 PM)
  - Attend, and Introduce yourself!
  - May be asked to sing National Anthem, be on wagon, & participate in award photos.

Have fun! Take photos, meet new people, and enjoy yourself!

