

Welcome to the Miss Trussville & Miss Trussville's Teen competition. We are excited to have you as a contestant and are looking forward to meeting you! Our preliminary will be held on Saturday, October 11th at 6pm at the Trussville Civic Center. Tickets will be \$20 (\$10 for current titleholders & former Trussville titleholders) payables via Venmo or cash.

Contacts

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Competition

• Venue: Trussville Civic Center 5381 Trussville-Clay Road Trussville, AL 35173

- Tentative arrival time: 9AM
- Detailed itinerary will be sent the week of competition

Competition Details

- Theme: Dancing Queens
- Opening Number- colorful outfit/cocktail dress of your choice
- On Stage Conversation 10%- while in opening number outfit/dress
- Health & Fitness 20% Contestants MUST wear Red athletic wear.
 - Rebel Athletic Wear is required for State Competitions and can be purchased from the following website: https://rebelathletic.com/collections/curated-styles-for-miss-america-organization.
 - Your fitness introduction (2-3 sentences on why/how you are heart healthy) will be read on stage during your upbeat modeling walk.
- Talent/HERStory 20%
- Evening Gown "Red Carpet" 20%
- Private Interview 30% Contestants will begin their interview with a 30 second opening of their choice. After 30 seconds, questions will begin. There is no longer a closing statement.

Important Details

*Every Contestant must complete the full registration process with Miss America via: https://www.club.missamerica.org/ma-membership (annual \$49.99 subscription fee to the MAO)

*After becoming a member, you must also register for our LOCAL pageant here: https://www.club.missamerica.org/club-membership

*Once completed you will receive detailed instructions for Spotfund. All contestants must raise \$30 per local preliminary for the American Heart Association prior to the local competition.

Paperwork

Deadline to receive documents is Friday, October 3rd

- Email
 - Interview Fact Sheet
 - Community Service Essay
 - Headshot Photo
 - Copy of Birth Certificate
 - Talent Music (Mp3 or Mp4 format)
 - Contestant Information Sheet (signed & dated)
 - Eligibility Documents (i.e. copy of Driver's License, lease/utility bill, transcript, etc.)
 - Local Contract (signed)
 - Rising Star paperwork, if applicable
- Venmo or Mail
 - o Miss-\$50 No Show fee mailed or Venmo @MissTrussville
 - this will be returned/refunded to you at the preliminary
 - o Teen-\$100 Contestant fee mailed or Venmo @MissTrussville

*Mail to: Christy Taylor 85 Gin Street Springville, AL 35146

- Required items you MUST bring on competition day
 - o Certified Birth Certificate
 - Backup Talent CD/copy on your device

Pageant Day

- Wear comfortable clothes when you arrive
- Teens arrive interview ready (you will have time to change and freshen up)
- Parents and friends MUST leave after helping unload (no parent meeting)
- No contestants may leave the venue during competition day
- Dressing Room moms will be available to assist you throughout the day
- All meals, water & snacks will be provided
- Label anything that you wish to keep any items left without a label cannot be returned. If you realize an item has been left after the competition, please email the director promptly.
- We will have a limited number of power strips, garment racks and full-length mirrors. You are welcome to bring your own.

Rising Star Information TBD!

We are excited to bring back our Rising Star program again this year! If you already have a Rising Star(s) we encourage you to invite them to participate in our preliminary. If you are crowned one of our winners your Rising Star will also be crowned and accompany you to the state pageant! If you do not bring a Rising Star with you we will draw a participant's name to be crowned.