2018 - 2019 Pageant Deadlines and Info

**Deadlines:**

You must meet all deadlines or you will be disqualified from the pageant.

1. **Tuesday, September 10, 2019 @ 7:00pm at Tribal Office:** Registration Form and Fee, 4x6 photo, copy of tribal card, and two letters of recommendation, one from a current Tribal Council Member and the other from a character witness.

2. **Thursday, September 19, 2019 at 7:00pm:** Talent screening (3min. max). Also, you will need to have your write-up for Sunday Ware/Dressy Dress/Evening Gown competition, Your Regalia, and Talent write-ups. All write-ups must be typed and printed in the attached format. Please read your write-ups aloud to ensure they read smoothly. We will not make any changes to what is submitted.

3. **Thursday, September 26, 2019 at 7:00pm:** Your talent music must be on a labeled CD with your name & contestant #. All Sponsor money and a complete list of your sponsors.

4. **Thursday, October 3, 2019 7:00pm:** Your pageant portfolio is due for Little, Junior, Teen, Miss, and Mrs. Contestants. For Wee, Brave, & Tiny Tot Contestants money that was raised along with a list of sponsors will be due. Please give your money to Mrs. Tonya Jacobs in a sealed package with the contestant’s name on it. Please count the money yourself beforehand and place a piece of paper with the amount you counted in the envelope. All coins must be rolled. At least 3 of the pageant committee members will perform a verification count at a time and date set by the committee.

**Portfolio Requirements:** Little Miss, Junior Miss, Teen Miss, Miss, and Mrs.

A minimum of six (6) pages and a maximum of twelve (12) pages.

**The portfolio must include the following items:**

1. **Application** (this will be emailed to you)
2. **American Indian Activities or Involvement** (a written or typed list and no more than two (2) pictures to accompany topic)
3. **Awards and Honors** (a written or typed list and no more than two (2) pictures to accompany topic)
4. **Volunteer Services** (a written or typed list and no more than two (2) pictures to accompany topic)
5. **Community Involvement** : in the community you live in or the Buckhead or St. James community (a written or typed list and no more than two (2) pictures to accompany topic)
6. **Extra Curricular Activities** (a written or typed list and no more than two (2) pictures to accompany topic)

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Rehearsal:

A required pageant rehearsal will be **Friday, October 4, 2019 6:00 pm @ East Columbus High School Auditorium**. We will only have the Auditorium for two (2) hours therefore we must start practice on time. **Contestants will perform their talent on stage the night of rehearsal.**

Interview:

An interview will be conducted for contestants in Teen through Senior Mrs./Miss categories on the day of the pageant by the Judges. Each contestant will be assigned a time by the pageant committee.

Pageant:

The pageant is scheduled for **Saturday, October 5, 2019 6:00 pm @ East Columbus High School Auditorium**. We will start on time therefore you will need to arrive no later than 4:45pm to set-up your area. There are limited electrical outlets so please bring your own drop cords, and power strips. No tables or garment hanger will be provided. **You are responsible for your own belongings.**

Dressing Rooms:

- All Contestants must get ready in the designated areas, **NO EXCEPTIONS!**
- Girls – all will use the designated dressing room.
- **No Fathers, brothers, husbands, or boyfriends back stage or in the dressing areas PLEASE!** Be respectful to the other ladies getting dresses.
- Please clean-up your area when the pageant is over. Do not leave food, drinks, or personal items in the designated dressing room.
- The pageant committee is not responsible for any items that are lost or stolen.

Tickets:

All contestants will receive two (2) free tickets. If you give them to someone other than your parents/guardians, the parent/guardian must pay at the door.

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