

## **2021 RESULTS for the Czech Heritage Society Miss Texas Czech-Slovak Queen**



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Congratulations Madison Murphy, crowned the 2021 Czech Heritage Society Miss Texas Czech-Slovak Queen, with her Little Czech Sister Rachel Alexander. She represented McLennan-Hill CHS and is from Abbott, Texas. Madison will compete in the Miss Czech-Slovak US Pageant in 2022.

Congratulations Misty Dvorak, 1st Runner-Up CHS Queen with Little Czech Sister June Holland. She represented Ellis County CHS and is from Ennis, Texas.

These young ladies competed in Private Interviews, On-Stage Interviews, Talent and Kroj Modeling. Madison Murphy won the On-Stage Interviews, Authentic Kroj and Talent awards. Misty Dvorak won the Private Interviews and Americanized Kroj awards.

Lauren Gerik, 2020 Miss Texas Czech-Slovak assisted with all pageant events with her Little Czech Sister Sarah Alexander. Miss Lauren will compete in the national pageant this fall in Wilber, Nebraska. We were honored with special assistance by Sarah Middlebrook Armor, 2006 Miss Czech-Slovak US. Additional CHS members offered assistance for the pageant events.

Thank you Barbara Mikulik and Concho Valley CHS for hosting our pageant so beautifully in Wall, Texas. Everyone enjoyed the Czech Youth Group performance, accordion players and music, and the traditional offering of bread and salt - an old Czech sign of welcome and hospitality. A parade of kroj was enjoyed by all and seeing the queen display boards. A wonderful Silent Auction and many Czech Heritage booths were truly appreciated.

Thank you Judges: Jerusha Brown, 2019-2021 1st Runner-Up Miss Czech-Slovak US from Oklahoma; with Alice Vida, Bexar County CHS; and James Steffek, Lavaca County CHS. Thank you to our Concho Valley CHS pageant auditors, Dorothy Pustka and Beverly Teplicek. Thank you, Master of Ceremonies Tom and Phyllis Teykl, Fayette County CHS. Thank you, Wharton County CHS Danny Hughes and Billy Raley for our Czech Heritage stage set. Thank you, Janis Hrcir and Richard Skopik, for assistance with the pageant program. Thank you for all the beautiful gifts from our CHS Chapters and members in support of our CHS Queens and Little Czech Sisters. Thank you to all who were able to join us and we missed all of those who were unable to attend.

I am so proud of these young ladies continuing their Czech heritage. So very excited to be the CHS, Miss Texas Czech-Slovak Pageant Director and serve on the National Board. Thank you for all your support.

Thank you,

Kathy Podsednik  
CHS Miss Texas Czech-Slovak Pageant Director  
National Board Miss Czech-Slovak US