## Rules & Regulations Treasure Mountain Festival's Queen/Teen/Preteen Pageant

- 1. Queen Contestants must be 16 by September 1, 2020 and not have reached her 22<sup>nd</sup> birthday on or before January 1, 2021, legal residents of the United States, legal residents of the state of West Virginia, never been married, never had children, or not currently pregnant nor has ever been pregnant.
- 2. Teen Contestants must be 12 by September 1, 2020 and not over 15 years of age by September 1, 2020, legal residents of the United States, legal residents of the state of West Virginia, never been married, never had children, or not currently pregnant nor has ever been pregnant.
- 3. Preteen Contestants must be <u>9 by September 1, 2020 and not over 11 years of age by September 1, 2020</u>, legal residents of the United States, and legal residents of the state of West Virginia.
- 4. All contestants must be of good health, good moral character, and have never been charged with a crime.
- 5. All contestants must be available for rehearsal on **Saturday**, **September 12<sup>th</sup>**, **2020** at Pendleton County High School Auditorium in Franklin by 9:00 am.
- 6. Teen and Queen contestants must be available for an interview with the judges on the morning of the pageant (September 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020). You will be given your interview time once we know how many contestants we have.
- 7. The Miss Treasure Mountain Festival Pageant will be held at 7:00 pm on Saturday, September 12th, 2020 at the Pendleton County High School Auditorium in Franklin, WV. Contestants must arrive to the dressing room no later than 30 minutes prior to the pageant's start.
- 8. Contestants must demonstrate good sportsmanship at all times, be responsible for their own possessions, and respect the belongings of other contestants.
- 9. The Treasure Mountain Festival Association is not responsible for lost or stolen items. Do not leave items of value unattended in the dressing room.
- 10. There will be no food allowed in the dressing area and only bottled drinks will be permitted. The dressing room will be available all day on Saturday for those who wish to stay at the high school to prepare. Bring your own extension cords and mirror.
- 11. Only <u>one</u> individual of the contestant's choosing will be allowed in the dressing area with the contestant. Each contestant will be given a wrist band for their person of choice at rehearsal, and their person must wear the band in order to obtain entrance to the dressing room. This is to ensure there is enough room for all contestants and their belongings. Females only are permitted in the dressing room.
- 12. Contestants will be required to have the following attire for the pageant:
  - a) Professional Wear for Interview Competition (does not apply to Preteen contestants)
  - b) Cocktail Dress for Personal Sense of Style Competition.
  - c) Evening gown for Evening Gown Competition
- 13. Winning queens must be available for TMF activities in Franklin during the third weekend in September (September 18<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>).
- 14. Winning Teen and Queen will each be given \$100 to be used to obtain an appropriate heritage gown. The winner in the Preteen Division will be given \$50 to be used to obtain an appropriate heritage gown.
- 15. Winning queens must be dressed in an appropriate heritage dress while performing certain scheduled activities during the Treasure Mountain Festival weekend per request of the Treasure Mountain Festival Association.
- 16. Winning Queen will receive a \$500 cash prize, entry fee and lodging paid for the Miss WV Fairs and Festival Pageant, crown, sash, plaque, and flower bouquet.
- 17. Winning Teen Queen will receive a \$100 cash prize, crown, sash, plaque, and flower bouquet.

- 18. Winning Preteen Queen will receive a crown, sash, plaque, and flower bouquet.
- 19. Awards will be given in each division for Miss Congeniality, Miss Photogenic, and Crowd Favorite.
- 20. Contestants must submit a recent clear head and shoulder photo, either a 4x6 or 5x7, (for Miss Photogenic), along with the application, contract, medical release form, and \$100 sponsorship fee for Queen Division, \$75 sponsorship fee for Teen Division, & \$50 sponsorship for the Preteen Division (may be obtained from a business or by family and friends) by Friday, September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2020. The sponsor's check should be made payable to The Treasure Mountain Festival Association.
- 21. Miss Photogenic is judged by a professional photographer prior to the pageant, so photos must be mailed with the application. Your photo will be returned to you at rehearsal.
- 22. Each contestant is free to withdraw from the competition at any time, but we will *only* refund your entry fee if you win another Fair or Festival Pageant prior to our pageant date. This is the *only circumstance* that will entitle you to a refund. You may not transfer to another contestant any fee, either part or in full, that the contestant or sponsors have paid.
- 23. Winning Queen or Teen may not participate in another fairs or festivals pageant until March 1, 2021.
- 24. Winning queens must represent the Treasure Mountain Festival in the Treasure Mountain Festival parade. You are encouraged to participate in other fair and festival parades in your area.
- 25. The winning queens may participate in other pageants that are not a fair or festival pageant. However, if you win another title, you must represent the Treasure Mountain Festival in fair and festival parades and when you are visiting royalty at other fair and festival pageants.
- 26. The winning Queen will represent the Treasure Mountain Festival in Charleston, WV in January 2021 at the WV Association of Fairs & Festivals Pageant. If she is unable to fulfill this obligation, the 1st runner-up will take her place.
- 27. You are allowed to participate at state level pageants (USA, America, United States, etc.), while you hold the Miss Treasure Mountain Festival Teen or Queen title.
- 28. All tattoos and/or body piercings (other than earrings) <u>must be covered or removed during the pageant</u>. This rule also applies to queens, while they are representing the festival at parades, events, and at the Miss West Virginia Association of Fairs and Festivals Pageant. The winning queens should use good taste when choosing clothing to wear while representing the festival at events, parades, festivals, and other pageants (<u>no jeans with holes</u>, mini-skirts, or low cut shirts). It is also proper pageant etiquette for visiting royalty at other pageants to wear only their sash (<u>not their crown</u>).
- 29. The queens must present themselves in a positive manner of good moral values when posting comments or pictures on Internet social networking sites (Facebook, SnapChat, Twitter, Instagram, TikTok, etc.). The pageant committee may ask queens to remove inappropriate pictures, comments, language etc. The queen will be given 24 hours to follow this request. If the request is not honored, the pageant committee will make a decision based on their discretion.

I have read the above rules and agree to abide be am chosen as a queen, I agree to abide by these	by them while participating in the Miss Treasure Mountain Festival Pageant. If I rules for the entirety of my reign.
Contestant's Signature	Date
Parent's Signature (if contestant is under 18 years old)	Date

#### Miss Treasure Mountain Festival Queen/Teen/Preteen Contract

# If I win the Miss Treasure Mountain Festival Preteen/Teen/Queen, I agree to the terms of the following contract:

- 1. I agree to the following: I was born a female, am a citizen of the United States, and am a legal resident of West Virginia. I am of good moral character, and I have not been convicted of a crime.
- 2. I agree that I have never been married, had a marriage annulled, have never borne a child, and have never been pregnant. I agree to remain single during my reign, agree not to become pregnant and understand that if either of these situations occur this contract will become null and void.
- 3. I certify that all of the information provided on this entry form is true and correct.
- 4. I agree to cooperate with the pageant committee.

(if contestant is under age 18)

- 5. I agree to participate in festival activities September 18th -20th, 2020
- 6. I certify that I have not participated in any activities that would be embarrassing to myself and/or the festival prior to this agreement. I also agree that if during my year of reign, I do engage in any such activity, including being arrested and charged with a crime, the festival will have the right to declare my title void, and I will return all prizes and/or awards to the festival.
- 7. I understand that I am free to resign my position as Preteen/Teen/Queen at any time, but under no circumstances will I be entitled to a refund of any fee, either full or part, that I or my sponsor has paid. Nor, upon my resignation, will I be eligible to any prizes that I have not yet received. There will be absolutely no exceptions to this policy.
- 8. I agree to hold harmless the Treasure Mountain Festival and its representatives in case of an accident. My parents/guardians will provide any/and/all medical expenses incurred to me as Titleist.

understand in the event I do not fulfill any of the above agreements, unless extenuating circumstances prevail the festival will have the right to terminate this agreement and select a successor at its discretion.				
Signature of Contestant	Date			
Signature of Parent/Guardian				

With my signature I certify I have read this agreement, rules, and regulations and understand them. I further

### 2020 Miss Treasure Mountain Festival <u>Teen</u> & <u>Queen</u> Pageant Application

Name:			
	s:		
Age:	Date of Birth:		
Address:	City & State:	Zip:	
Phone Number:	E-mail Addres	ss:	
Sponsor Name & Location	n:		
Favorite Food:	Favorite Col	or:	
Attending School/Major:			
The most unusual thing ab	oout you is:		
Your strongest talent is: _			
Most vivid childhood me	mory:		
Personal achievement you	are most proud of:		
What is one life event that	t has influenced you in a positive wa	y?	
Comment on Fortuna Coalar			
Extracurricular Activities			
School & Community Act	tivities:		
Applicant's Signature:			-
Parent/ Guardian Signatur (if contestant is under 18 years old)	e:		-
Mail or email application, r. TMF Queen Pageant Attn: Katlyn Ruddle 184 Ruddle Circle	ecent head & shoulder photo, & sponso	or fee (\$100 for Queen &	\$75 for Teen) to:

misstreasuremountain@gmail.com

Franklin, WV 26807

#### 2020 Miss Treasure Mountain Festival <u>Preteen</u> Pageant Application

Name:		
Parent or Guardian Names:		
Age:	Date of Birth:	
Address: City & State	::Zip:	
Phone Number:	E-mail Address:	
Sponsor Name & Location:		
Favorite Food:	Favorite Color:	
Attending School:		
The most unusual thing about you is:		
Your strongest talent is:		
Your favorite subject in school is:		
Your favorite TV Show is:		
Honors & Awards:		
Current or Future Goals:		
Extracurricular Activities:		
School & Community Activities:		
Applicant's Signature:		
Parent/ Guardian Signature:(if contestant is under 18 years old)		

Mail application, recent head & shoulder photo, & sponsor fee (\$50 for Preteen) to: TMF Queen Pageant Attn: Katlyn Ruddle

184 Ruddle Circle Franklin, WV 26807

misstreasuremountain@gmail.com

\*Make checks payable to Treasure Mountain Festival Association

FINAL ENTRY DEADLINE: September 5th, 2020

### Miss Treasure Mountain Festival Preteen/Teen/Queen Pageant

#### **Medical Release Form**

Please complete this form and return it with the application. We need this information in case of an emergency.

Name:			
Phone Number:			
Address:			
Age:	D.O.B		
Mother's Name:			
Mother's Home Phone #:	Mother's Ce	ll Phone #:	
Father's Name:			
Father's Home Phone #:	Father's Cel	ll Phone #:	
Family Physician:	Phone #:		
In Case of Emergency Contact:			
1) Name:	Phone #:	Relationship:	
2) Name:	Phone #:	Relationship:	
Please list any medications current	ly being taken:		
Date of Last Tetanus Shot:			
Health Insurance Company:	Polic	ey #:	
I give permission for the Treas	ure Mountain Festival Pagea	ant Committee to seek medical care for n emergency. I also give Emergency Service	
Workers and/or a physician per arise.	rmission to treat	n emergency. I also give Emergency Service, if the medical need	would
I will not hold the Treasure Mohealth issues that may occur.	ountain Festival Association	responsible for any accidents, injuries, or other	r
Signed:		Date:	
(Contestant if over age (Parent/Legal Guardian	18.) 1, if under age 18)		