

2019 Miss Shivaree

**** EARLY ENTRY DEADLINE: NOON, May 1, 2019 ****

**** REGULAR ENTRY DEADLINE: NOON, May 24, 2019****

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION CAREFULLY!!

The pageant will be held on **SATURDAY June 1, 2019 at 2 p.m.** at City Auditorium. All contestants will be required to attend a **mandatory rehearsal/informational meeting on May 30st** at City Auditorium at the following times: 5:00 p.m. for Baby Miss & Tiny Miss and 6:00 p.m. for all other divisions. **Interviews will be held May 31, 2019 at The Chamber of Commerce starting at 5 pm.** Times will give at Mandatory Meeting. There will be an admission fee of \$3 per person to attend the actual pageant, and each contestant will receive two complimentary tickets to use as they wish. Eligibility rules and requirements can be found on page three of this packet.

The age deadline is the age the contestant will be as of 6/1/2019 (the date of the pageant).

BABY MISS – NEWBORN TO UNDER 18 MONTHS OF AGE
TINY MISS – 18 MONTHS OF AGE TO UNDER 3 YEARS OF AGE
SWEETHEART – AGES 3 AND 4
LITTLE MISS – AGES 5 AND 6
JUNIOR MISS – AGES 7 THRU 9
DUCHESS – AGES 10 THRU 12
PRINCESS – AGES 13 THRU 15
QUEEN – AGES 16 THRU 18

EARLY DEADLINE ENTRY FEE IS \$30.00 & REGULAR DEADLINE ENTRY FEE IS \$40.00. This fee can be paid by a sponsoring business, however it is suggested that the business should be contacted in person to request sponsorship as well as given a thank you note after pageant. For every additional entry in a household (after the first entry), the fee shall be \$25.00 for early entry and \$30.00 for regular entry. The fee MUST accompany the entry form!!

Every contestant will be modeling an evening gown/fancy dress on stage. Every contestant except for Baby Miss and Tiny Miss will have a personal interview with the judges during the day of the pageant. Furthermore, every contestant except for the youngest two divisions will have an on-stage question during the actual pageant. An adult must accompany the youngest two divisions on stage. All divisions will be judged on modeling, appearance, interview questions (if applicable), poise, etc. Winners of each division will receive a tiara, sash, jewelry gift, flowers, and prizes. The queen division winner will also be awarded a \$1,000 scholarship to be paid upon proof of enrollment in an accredited college/university. Awards will also be given in each division for 1st runner-up, 2nd runner-up, Most Photogenic and Miss Congeniality. In the youngest two divisions, the judges will select Miss Personality instead of Miss Congeniality. We will also be awarding the People's Choice Award and Shiny Girl Award just like we have in previous years. Judges will be from outside of Coryell County and will not be announced until pageant.

ITEMS NEEDED TO PARTICIPATE:

- 1) ATTACHED PARTICIPANT AGREEMENT FORM (WITH SIGNATURES)**
- 2) ENTRY FEE – CASH OR CHECK PAYABLE TO CHAMBER TO COMMERCE**
- 3) PHOTO OR SNAPSHOT – no larger than a 5X7!! PHOTOS MUST BE TURNED IN WITH THE PAGEANT AGREEMENT AND ENTRY FEE – NO EXCEPTIONS!!**

Entry form and fee can be turned into the Chamber office in Gatesville: office hours M-F 9am-2pm, mailed to, 2307 TX-36, Gatesville, Texas 76528 OR Moo's Boutique, 210 FM 107, Gatesville, TX: Office hours Wed-Thur 10am-5pm, Fri 10am-6pm, Sat 10am-2pm.

Any questions should be directed to pageant director:

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Contestant Agreement Form

Name of contestant: _____

Home address: _____

Mailing address: _____

Phone number: _____

Parent/Guardian name: _____

Email address: _____

Contestant date of birth: _____

Age of contestant as of 6/1/2019:

(age as of the date of pageant) _____

Grade (if applicable): _____

School (if applicable): _____

Contestant sponsor (if applicable): _____

WE HAVE READ THE ATTACHED AGREEMENT AND ACCEPT IT AS A
CONTESTANT IN THE 2019 MISS SHIVAREE PAGEANT. WE ALSO
UNDERSTAND THAT, IF WE BECOME A TITLEHOLDER, THIS AGREEMENT
WILL BE IN EFFECT ONE YEAR UNTIL THE TITLE IS PASSED ONTO THE NEXT
WINNER.

Contestant: _____

Parent/Guardian: _____

Date: _____

THE FOLLOWING EXPECTATIONS ARE BASED ON NORMAL CONSIDERATIONS OF PAGEANT PARTICIPATION.

THIS IS A HOMETOWN PAGEANT, NOT "TODDLERS AND TIARAS."

- 1) Participants **MUST** meet age requirements by the date of the pageant of the competition year.
- 2) Participants **MUST** attend school in Coryell County.
- 3) Participants **MUST** participate in planned program as coordinated by pageant director.
- 4) Participants **MUST** maintain standards normally appropriate with respect to dress, language, courtesy, cleanliness, manners and sportsmanship. This includes respectful and appropriate behavior on social networking sites such as Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Snapchat, etc.
- 5) Parents **MUST** emulate good sportsmanship and be an example for their children. **ANY DEROGATORY STATEMENTS OR DISRESPECTFUL REMARKS MADE BY PARENTS/GUARDIANS ABOUT THE PAGEANT, THE WINNERS OR THE VOLUNTEERS WILL NOT BE TOLERATED AND COULD RESULT IN YOUR CHILD BEING BANNED FROM PARTICIPATION IN THE PAGEANT. POSITIVE FEEDBACK IS ENCOURAGED, HOWEVER DEROGATORY STATEMENTS WILL NOT BE TOLERATED.**
- 6) Participants **MUST** avoid use of any tobacco, alcohol or other illegal substances. Participants **MUST** avoid roughness or other behaviors that might harm chamber furnishings and other participants and volunteers.
- 7) If awarded a title, titleholders **MUST** inform pageant director of any illness, accident, or schedule conflicts that will cause them to miss a scheduled event/appearance. **NO MORE THAN 2 ABSENCES WILL BE ALLOWED FOR THE ENTIRE YEAR. Shivaree 2019 & 2020 are mandatory.**
- 8) In the event of inappropriate behavior, the participant will be counseled about the misconduct and may be banned from participating in said event. This includes all events and parades. In the event of extreme misconduct, a meeting will be held with participant and parents. The participant will be dismissed from their title and will be required to forfeit any title, scholarship and prizes.
- 9) Young ladies accepting the title in each division **MUST** understand that they are representing Coryell County at all times. Moreover, they **MUST** understand that they are a role model for other young ladies in the community. If participants marry, use illegal substances or become pregnant, they will be required to forfeit their title and all prizes.
- 10) Titleholders from the previous year's pageant **MUST** be moving up to the next division to be able to compete in the pageant again. If not moving up to the next division, participants may enter the same division that they have previously won only if they have skipped a year of participation.
- 11) In the event that a titleholder cannot fulfill her duties for the entire year, the first runner-up will become the titleholder and the same rules will apply.
- 12) Each titleholder is expected to attend and represent Coryell County at various events as designated by the pageant director and Chamber of Commerce. Since participating in out of town parades is no longer required, it is expected that the titleholders will participate in various events in the community (Shivaree 2019 and 2020 mandatory), holiday canned food drive, Christmas Celebration and Parade, Coryell County Fair 2020, Wizards 2020, park clean-up days, etc) throughout the year in order represent the Chamber of Commerce and our wonderful community as well as emulate for other youth how to give back to their community.
- 13) The rehearsal/information meeting is mandatory in order to be able to participate. There must be a representative for the contestant present at the meeting in the event that the contestant cannot be there.
- 14) A photo of the contestant must be submitted with entry packet in order to be able to participate in the pageant. **PHOTOS MUST BE TURNED IN WITH ENTRY PACKET AND ENTRY FEE – NO EXCEPTIONS!!**
- 15) The judges will select one Shiny Girl Award winner for the entire pageant. The winner of this award is the one contestant in the entire pageant whose inner beauty was as apparent as their outer beauty. The People's Choice Award winner is voted on by those attending the pageant - \$1.00 per vote – and is awarded to only one contestant in the entire pageant.