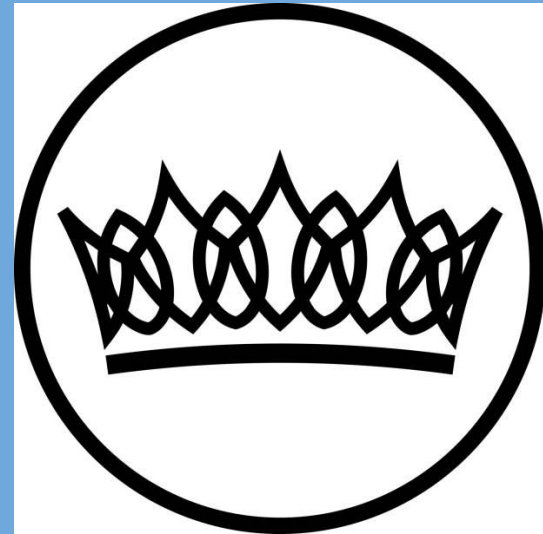


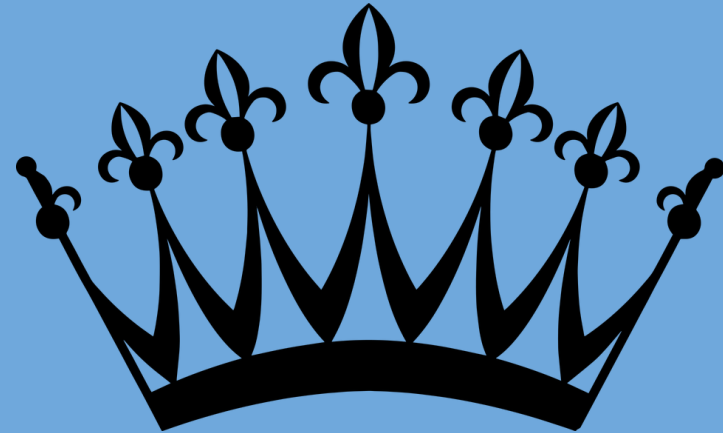
2023 Miss Mossy Creek Middle Pageant



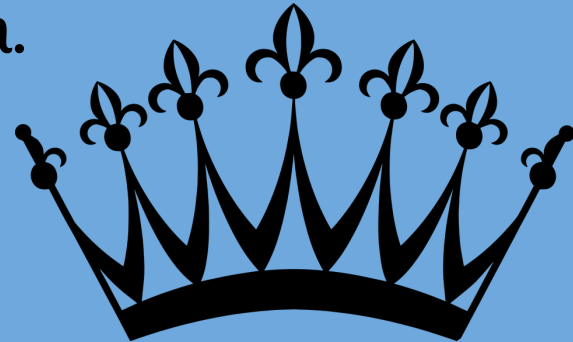
**Saturday, March 25th
6:00pm
Mossy Creek Middle
Cafeteria**



- The Miss MCMS pageant is open to girls in 6th, 7th, and 8th grade.
- Contestants will be scored in the following areas:
 - Interview
 - Casual Wear
 - On Stage Question
 - Evening Wear
- We will not have a talent portion in this year's pageant.
- The contestant fee to enter the pageant is \$70. Contestants are welcome to find sponsors to cover their pageant entry fee.

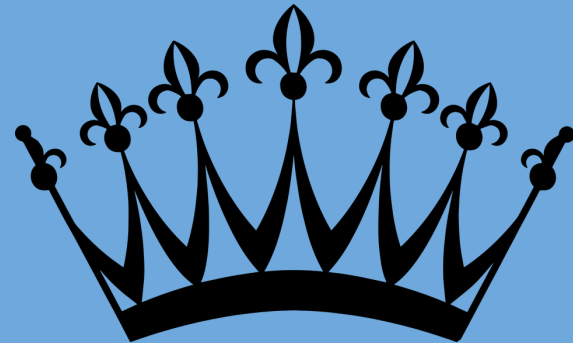


- The pageant judging panel is made up of six experienced judges who are not affiliated with Mossy Creek.
- Please note the following schedule for pageant activities:
 - March 20-23: Pageant Practice 2:30-3:30 in cafeteria.
 - March 24: Interviews beginning at 5pm in MCMS media center - each contestant will be given a specific time slot for her interview.
 - March 25: Doors open for contestants at 3pm.
Doors open for spectators at 5pm.



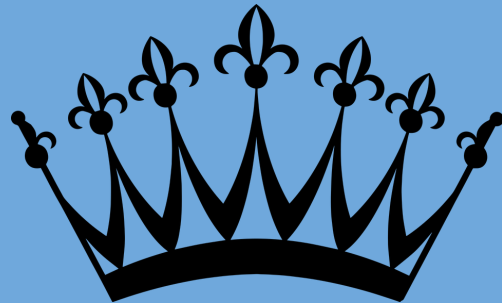
Interview

- Contestants will have a 5 minute interview with a 3 member judges' panel. There will be separate set of judges for Saturday's portion of the pageant.
- Judges will use the contestant's application to guide the interview questions.
- The attire for the interview portion of the pageant is business attire.
- Contestants are scored on poise, presence, and personality.
- Interview score counts 25% of final score.



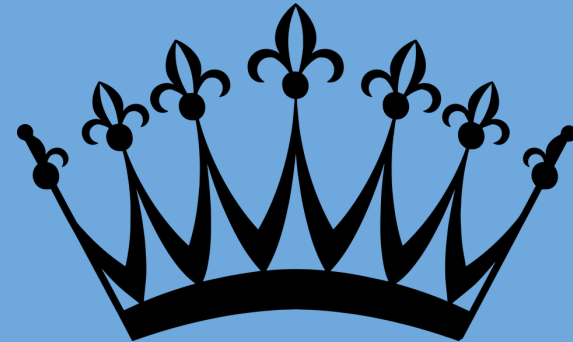
Opening Number

- Contestants will be given a pageant t-shirt to wear for the opening number. The cost of the t-shirt is included in the entry fee.
- Contestants should wear their choice of WHITE jeans, capris, skirt, or shorts for the opening number. Shorts and skirts should be an appropriate length.
- Accessories for the opening number (belt, earrings, shoes, etc.) are at the discretion of each contestant.



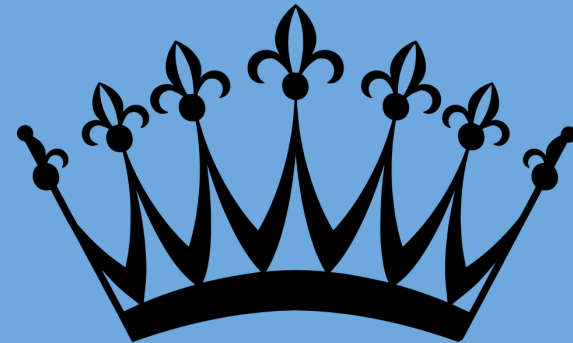
Casual Wear/On Stage Question

- Casual wear attire is at the discretion of each contestant and should represent her own personality and style.
- There is not a specific theme for the pageant this year, so the casual wear does not have to fit a theme. If you are unsure what direction to take with your casual wear, please refer to the internet for a plethora of pageant casual wear ideas.
- While wearing their casual attire, contestants will be asked their on-stage questions. A list of questions will be provided to the contestants ahead of time in order for them to prepare.
- The casual wear/on stage question portion of the competition will count as 50% (casual wear 25% and on stage question 25%) of the final score, and will be scored in the following areas:
 - Poise/appearance
 - On stage presence
 - Personality



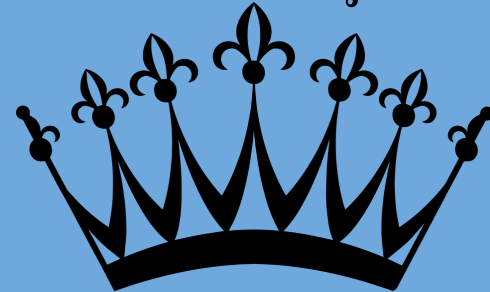
Evening Wear

- The evening wear portion of the pageant is the final portion.
- Contestants should choose an age appropriate formal dress and shoes.
- Please make sure the dress fits properly so that the contestant is not worried about it falling down or being excessively tight as she walks across the stage. In the past we have found that strapless dresses are difficult for most middle school age girls, and they often worry about it staying up properly. Strapless dresses are allowed, but PLEASE make sure they fit well.
- Evening wear shoes should be appropriate for the dress but also appropriate for each girl's comfort and ability to walk in them. :)
- The evening wear portion of the competition will count as 25% of the final score, and will be scored in the following areas:
 - Poise/appearance
 - On stage presence
 - Personality



Other Awards

- There are several other awards up for grabs during the Miss MCMS Pageant, and those are detailed below:
 - **Highest GPA** - awarded to the contestant who has the highest GPA as of Monday, March 20th.
 - **Miss Congeniality** - voted on by other contestants - awarded to the girl they feel has been friendliest, most outgoing, etc.
 - **People's Choice Award** - during the evening of the pageant, pageant spectators can pay \$1 per vote to vote for their favorite contestant. The contestant raising the most money by the end of the night wins.



Important Dates

- January 26th, 2023- Pageant applications available from EA teachers and in the MCMS office.
- March 10th, 2023- All pageant applications and entry fees due to Mrs. Rainwater.
- March 20-23, 2023: Pageant Practice 2:30-3:30 in cafeteria.
- March 24th, 2023: Interviews beginning at 5pm in MCMS media center - each contestant will be given a specific 15 minute time slot for her interview.
- March 25, 2023: Doors open for contestants at 3pm.
Doors open for spectators at 5pm.

If you have any further questions regarding the pageant, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs. Rainwater at natalie.rainwater@hcbe.net.

