

Ms. & Elite Ms. Pope County Fair Pageant

Saturday September 7, 2024 at 4:00pm

Atkins High School Auditorium
403 Avenue 3 NW ~ Atkins

Deadline: Saturday August 30, 2024

<p>Rehearsal Time: Saturday September 7 at 1:00 p.m. Interview: Saturday, September 7 at 10:00 a.m. (<i>tentative schedule times</i>)</p>

RULES and QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Qualifications: Applicant must be a resident of Pope County and must have resided there for at least six months prior to her entering the competition. Applicant must be at least 18 years of age as of September 7, 2024 or older. Applicant must have been born a female and must not have ever been convicted of any crime or have any criminal charges pending.
2. Contestants are required to be on time for rehearsal and all events. In the event of an emergency or you are unable to attend rehearsal, please contact the director at the phone number below.
4. Judging and Conduct: Judges will be looking for facial beauty, personality, stage presence, appropriate attire and grooming, speaking ability, and modeling. The judges will be deducted points for excessive make-up or inappropriate clothing. The pageant Director will pick qualified and impartial judges and their names will not be released before the pageant. Their decision will be final. No one will be allowed to approach judges at any time. No score sheets will be given out but the master sheet may be viewed by contestants only.
Good conduct and sportsmanship is expected at all times during the contest and throughout the reign of each queen. Bad sportsmanship from a contestant, family member/supporter/spouse, or queen will result in disqualification and/or relinquishing of that queen's title and prizes. Bad attitudes and language will NOT be tolerated.
5. Dressing Rooms: Please note that there is limited amount of space in the dressing rooms, so please come as ready as possible. No more than one guest is allowed in the dressing room with the contestant.
6. Contestant Prizes: Contestant prizes will be awarded the night of the pageant. Each queen will be receiving a round crown, flowers, monogrammed sash, silver tray, gift basket. If there are 5 or more contestants a cash prize will be awarded. 1st and 2nd Alternate will be awarded and will receive a silver tray and gift bag.
7. All queens will represent Pope County during the year at requested events and parades.

COMPETITION CLOTHING

Each contestant will have a 5 minute private interview with the judges and will be assessed individually and comparatively in Evening Gown and Onstage Question competition.

Contestants will need the following clothing:

Private Interview – Dress or Suit, Jewelry and shoes of choice – no hats, gloves, or purses.

Evening Gown – Evening Gown of choice. Jewelry and accessories should be tasteful and compliment the gown. Dress should be floor length.

High-heeled shoes are recommended for all competition, but not required.

**Entry Fees:
MRS. ENTRY FEE IS \$50**

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO POPE COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION

PLEASE SUBMIT ENTRY FORM AND FEES TO:

**Amanda Carter, Pageant Director
41 BOWDEN LANE
Hector, AR 72843**

For any questions please contact:

Amanda Carter, 479-518-6110

Email: popecofairpageants@gmail.com

Website: www.popecountyfair.com

MS. & ELITE MS. POPE COUNTY FAIR QUEEN

Entry Form

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT NEATLY

Name:

Age:

Date of Birth: (Month/Day/Year)

Division:

County/District Title:

Address (Home Address):

Spouse:

High School Education:

College Education (if applicable):

Greatest Achievements and Leadership Accomplishments:

3 Interesting Facts:

Ambition for the Future:

Tell us about your involvement with your local county fair:

Why do you wish to become the Arkansas State Fair Queen and how will you utilize this title to shape your life as well as enhancing other's lives?

Contestants and guardians must agree that the decision of the judges will be final. All Entrants understand that the pageant is not responsible for any accident or injury incurred in travel to, from and at the pageant itself. The contestant will take full responsibility for and agree to release the Pope County Fair Association and Fair Queen Committee from all liability for any losses, damages, or debts incurred by or made by the contestant, in connection with the pageant. I hereby apply as a contestant for one of the titles from the Fair Queen Pageant. I agree to abide by all the rules and regulations herein set. All rules and regulations are posted at www.popecountyfair.com No refunds will be given.

Bad sportsmanship and/or language will not be tolerated. Any photo(s) of this pageant may be used by the fair board and pageant board as advertisement and announcements.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____