



2022 Queen Pageant Information Packet

Congratulations and thank you for your interest in possibly becoming the next Ohio Rural Heritage Queen. You have already taken the first step in entering the pageant. The attached application form must be completed and returned by August 19th 2022. The pageant will take place on Thursday Aug. 25th on the main stage.

All pageant applicants will be judged on three criteria. First will be a one page typed, single-spaced essay based on your hometown heritage/ history. Second will be a formal evening gown competition. All gowns must be long and tastefully appropriate. Third will be a question asked and answered while candidate is on stage. This question will be based on information given by the candidate according to the application provided so please keep this in mind while completing the application.

All candidates are encouraged to ride in the parade. The parade will be on Friday evening Aug. 26th 2022. The Queen will be required to ride in the parade.

There will be a mandatory practice the night before the pageant so candidates can become familiar with the stage and the process.

There will be a queen selected along with a first runner up, should the original queen not be able to fulfill her duties the first runner up will take her place. There will be a cash award with an amount to be determined at a later date.

The winning candidate is required to be available for the remainder of the festival and also participate in at least two fundraisers held within the following year. They will also be required to participate in at least three local parades as well as the Brown County Fair parade.

The selected queen must exhibit conduct throughout the year appropriate of someone representing the Ohio Rural Heritage Festival. If at anytime it is determined that the conduct is questionable, the first runner up will take the place of the current queen.

Please submit the application form, your typed essay page, and three wallet-sized pictures by August 19th, 2022. Please mail or drop-off these items in one envelope as follows:

Mail to: Ohio Rural Heritage Festival – Queen Pageant
 P.O. Box 91
 Ripley Ohio 45167

--OR--

Drop-Off to: Ole Barn Primitives and Boutique
 101 Main Street
 Ripley, Ohio 45167

Any questions can be directed to Kim Stacy, at (513) 532-3852.

Thank you and good luck!



2022 Queen Pageant Application Form

Please print all information in ink.

Name _____ Phone _____

Address _____

Date of Birth _____ Age _____ Grade _____

High School Attended/Attending _____

College Attended/Attending _____

Anticipated Date of Graduation _____

Extra Curricular School Activities (please list all) _____

Community/Church Involvement _____

Are you currently employed? _____ If yes where? _____

List Hobbies and interests _____

What are your future educational goals? _____

Interesting facts about you: _____

Why would you like to be an Ohio Rural Heritage Queen? _____
