LOGAN COUNTY FAIR KING/QUEEN ROYALTY APPLICATION

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT Circle one: King or Queen (16 – 19 years of age as of January 1) Name ______ Age on Jan. 1 _____ Address _____County____ Cell Phone_____Parent(s)/Guardian(s):_____ School last attended ______ Grade completed _____ Career Ambition _____College *Use an additional sheet if necessary.* SCHOOL HONORS AND AWARDS - Indicate name of the award and year earned. **LEADERSHIP** - Indicate length of participation in organizations. If an officer, give office held. ACTIVITIES - List activities such as: athletics, music, class plays, public speaking, parliamentary procedure, demonstrations, fashion revues, wildlife conservation, etc., and indicate kind of participation. **COMMUNITY SERVICE** - List community service activities over the past 12 months and the total hours worked. Services could include church, beautification, Heart Association, Cancer Society, etc.____ **STATE AND NATIONAL ACTIVITIES**: Include judging contest, trips, conventions and recognitions. **STATE & COUNTY FAIR EXHIBITS** – Include projects you have exhibited and awards/placing you received.

On a separate sheet, in 500 words or more, please answer... What qualities do you possess that will make you a good representative for Fair King or Queen?

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Candidate must be a participant in the Logan County Junior Fair.
- 2. Must be at least 16 years old & no older than 19 as of January 1st.
- 3. Must be in high school or have graduated from high school.
- 4. Not now, or never have been married.
- 5. Not now, or never have been pregnant, fathered, or adoptive parent of a child.
- 6. No use or consume illegal controlled substances or alcohol.
- 7. Never have been convicted of criminal offense or have criminal charges pending.
- 8. Candidate shall never have been a previous Logan County Fair King or Queen.
- 9. Must be sponsored by one of the following clubs/chapter/organization: 4-H, FFA, FCCLA, Industrial Arts, Boy/Girls Scouts, and Farm Bureau Youth. Any of these may sponsor more than one candidate.
- 10. Be committed to the role you are chosen for one full year.
- 11. Shall waive liability and hold the Logan County Fair and its officials/4-H OSU Extension and its officials harmless in the event of any injury occurring during participation
- 12. All candidates are required to abide by the Expectations of Fair Royalty with possible disqualifications for infractions of those duties including conducting himself/herself in an improper manner.

EXPECTATIONS OF LOGAN COUNTY FAIR ROYALTY

- 1. Dress appropriately use the dress code from shows and the sale as guidelines. Your appearance is the first impression others receive, so represent the fair well by dressing aptly at all times. <u>Modesty should take precedence</u>. Fair officials reserve the right to ask you to change your attire.
- 2. Use appropriate language.
- 3. Be aware of social media (be careful what is posted & said).
- 4. Never be afraid to ask questions. Feel free to seek guidance from past Royalty, Katie Krabill, Janie Foreman, Christie Barns, or Annie Meade
- 5. Include your Royalty court members. The King and Queen should attend as many activities as possible, but allow the court to help fill the void. The Prince and Princess should accompany a member of Royalty whenever they are able.
- 6. Promote your fair (think about the image you want to promote).
- 7. Be knowledgeable about YOUR fair (schedules, activities). Meet each day of the fair to review the schedule and discuss what happened the day before.
- 8. Introduce yourself to the Logan County Fair secretary and members of the Senior Fair Board. Take the initiative to be involved; attend and help at as many events as possible.
- 9. Visit the merchant businesses and organizations. Thank them for exhibiting and being a part of the fair.
- 10. Act as host/hostess to visiting Royalty.
- 11. Visit other fairs & remember to promote YOUR fair. It is the expectation of the Logan County Fair Board that Royalty attend as many other Ohio county fairs as reasonably possible, especially neighboring counties; Champaign, Hardin, Union, and Shelby County.
- 12. The Queen has the opportunity to participate in the All Ohio Queens contest held during the Ohio Fair Managers Convention in January. A personal financial commitment would be necessary.
- 13. Plan to participate in other Logan County events and activities such as:
 - The Logan County 4-H Scholarship Dinner in June
 - Bellefontaine Memorial Day and Christmas Parade
 - West Liberty Christmas and Labor Day Parade
 - Other Local Memorial Day Parades
- 14. It is expected that you will take a leadership role in conducting the Royalty Contest the year following your appointment. This includes seeking sponsorships, planning and organizing the event.

JUDGING

- 1. A diverse panel selected by the Fair Royalty committee may select a King, Queen, Queen Runner-Up, Prince, and Princess provided there are qualified candidates. In order to have a contest for each placing there need to be at least 3 candidates vying for title. For example, if there is only one applicant for King, the King contest will not take place. In the event there are only 3 Queen applicants a runner-up may not be selected.
- 2. Scoring will be done on the following basis:
 - a. Activities; Participation, Leadership, Achievement, Initiative
 - b. Poise and Personality
 - c. Personal Appearance (during preliminary interview and contest)
 - d. Communication Skills
 - e. Responsiveness to Questions
- 3. A preliminary interview is required and will be conducted prior to the Fair contest. All applicants will be contacted regarding the specific date and times
- 4. Fair Royalty will be selected on the first night of the Logan County Fair. King/Queen Candidates are expected to dress in formal attire. Prince Candidates should wear dress slacks or khaki's and a dress shirt. Princess Candidates should wear a summer dress. There will be a presentation of all contestants during the Fair contest. Candidates will be questioned further during the contest.
- 5. The Logan County Fair King and Queen will receive a college scholarship of at least \$100 at a time in which the contestant can provide appropriate documentation of college acceptance and attendance along with a lifetime pass to the Logan County Fair. All Fair Royalty will receive various donated gifts.

I hereby attest to the fact as a contestant in the Logan County Fair Royalty I meet the eligibility requirements. I promise to comply with all expectations, duties and responsibilities of the contest. I will hold harmless Logan County Fair officials and contest directors in the event of any injury occurring during by participation. I will conduct myself in a manner befitting a contestant and/or a member of the Logan County Fair Royalty and hereby agree to adhere to the official's directions and requirements.

Signature of APPLICANT	Date	
Signature of PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN	Date	_
Name of Sponsoring Organization		
Signature of Advisor of Sponsoring Organization	Date	

Due to Logan County Fair Office by 4:30 p.m., June 1st.

Return this <u>form</u> and <u>headshot photo</u> to: **Logan County Fairgrounds**

PO Box 758

Bellefontaine, Ohio 43311

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^{**}If you have any disability that requires accommodation, please add it to your application.