

Park County Fair Royalty
Junior Princess Application

The Junior Princess program is designed to introduce young ladies into the world of Rodeo Royalty and to give them confidence to pursue their future dreams of one day achieving a royalty title.

The Junior Princess will reign for the week of fair, July 12th-21st 2024. There she will participate in awards, mutton bustin events, Barn Dance, and Kid's Day. The Junior Princess may also attend the town of Fairplay 4th of July parade and the Park County Fair parade, July 13th, and ride in a pick-up truck. She may use a horse, but it needs to be approved by the Royalty Coordinator.

During the pageant, the Junior Princess contestants will be asked to give a short speech on why they want to be a member of the Park County Fair Royalty, have a short interview with the judges where they will ask questions about their application and they will be asked one impromptu question.

AGE: 8-10

CONTEST OPENS: Thursday, February 1st, 2024

Jr. Princess contestants are to submit their **application, head shot and application fee**

APPLICATION FEE: \$10 (non-refundable) Cash or Check. Make checks payable to Park County Fair Board and put contestants name in the memo line.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Submit completed forms (Application and Organization rules), head shot and application fee no later than Saturday, May 31st, 2024

Applications may be mailed to the Royalty Coordinator, emailed or delivered in person.

*****Mail applications and application fee to Emily Carpenter 37 Twilight Terrace Dr. Bailey, CO 80421 or email to parkcountyroyalty@gmail.com**

ORIENTATION CLINICS:

- **FAIR/RODEO ROYALTY: What does it meant to be an ambassador?**
Saturday, April 6th, 2024 @ noon at the Park County Fairgrounds Quonset Hut
- **ROYALTY PAGEANT 101:** Strongly encouraged for ALL contestants
Saturday, May 4th, 2024 @ noon at the Park County Fairgrounds Quonset Hut

CONTEST DATE: Saturday July 6th, 2024, @ noon at the American Legion in Fairplay

Fair Royalty Contest Rules

This is not a beauty contest. You do not need artistic talent to enter. Entrants will be judged on their ability to communicate (speaking ability), message, promptness, and appearance. The results will be announced during the pageant and the new royalty will be crowned during the rodeo on July 20th 2024.

- 1.** Junior Princess must be female, at least 8 to 10 years of age
- 2.** Entrant must be a U.S. Citizen and a resident of Park County or adjacent counties (Clear Creek, Summit, Lake, Chaffee, Fremont, Teller or Jefferson; other counties may enter with permission from Park County Royalty Coordinator). Entrant does not have to be in 4-H or FFA
- 3.** Be single, have never been married, have not been pregnant nor given birth to a child.
- 4.** Entrants must have their parent or legal guardians' signature on the entry form. The purpose of this signature is to allow Park County Fair to use the transcript for the interview. This entry signature also ensures the parents/guardian is aware of her participation in this contest and provides their consent to photos and videos that will be taken of all contestants for the use of promoting the Park County Fair and Fair Royalty Program.
- 5.** Entrants should be able to meet all time commitments, Behavior Policy and dress code as set forth by the Park County Fair Board and the Park County Fair Royalty Program Coordinator.
- 6.** Be an upstanding citizen and of good moral character (at the discretion of the Fair Board).
- 7.** Entrants will be required to attend 2024 Park County Fair to participate in award presentations and any other activities deemed necessary by the Fair Board or Royalty Coordinator.
- 8.** The elected Royalty Members are expected to be responsive in a timely fashion (not to exceed 24 hours) to the calls and emails of the Royalty Coordinator(s) or the Fair Board members.
- 9.** If any current member of the Royalty program is unable to fulfill her duties and/or is dismissed, it will be at the discretion of the Park County Fair Board and the Royalty Coordinator to select her replacement or determine if one is necessary. She will immediately relinquish her title and all privileges and prizes, including jackets, buckles, jewelry, etc. awarded to her. The sash and crown are the property of the Park County Fair Board and will be immediately returned in the same condition as received or reimburse the Fair for the cost of replacements.

*****The deadline for application entry is May 31st, 2024.**

The decision of the judge's is final. This contest may be cancelled if we have two or less entrants.

Judging:

Appearance:

The aim of this division is to select the girl who rates the highest in grooming, posture, poise, and who most reflects the western image. Judges will be looking for neatness and cleanliness in every detail including hands, hair, boots and other apparel.

Personality:

The aim of this division is to select the girl who rates the highest in conversational ability, sense of humor, genuine interest, consideration for others and has a happy outlook on life.

Speech, questions and interviews:

The aim of this division is to select the girl who rates highest in interview ability, getting her ideas and thoughts across in conversation and answering the questions.

Biography:

This should include name, age, school attending, parents, hobbies, activities involved in, and college or future plans.

The speech, and interview, will be held on July 6th, 2024. For the interview, each entrant will meet alone with the panel of judges. The judges will utilize the information from your application. You will be judged on your conversational ability, speech, the answers to the judges' questions, and your appearance/poise.

NOTE: The outfit for the interview and the speech should follow the dress code

AGREEMENT: I have read and understand the rules and agree to comply.

Applicant Signature Date

Guardian Signature Date

APPLICATION FOR PARK COUNTY FAIR ROYALTY Junior Princess

Please type or neatly print and complete all pages

Name _____

Mailing Address, City, and Zip code:

Contestant's Telephone _____

Date of Birth _____ AGE (at time of contest): _____

Email Address _____

Parent's Names _____

Parent's Phone Number _____

Parent's Email Address _____

Education:

Scholastic Plans and Future ambitions:

Experience with Rodeo, Fair, Horse Shows, Etc.:

Honors and Awards, Community Service:

Hobbies:

How can I contribute to the Fair Royalty Program and serve the community?

What do you expect to get in return if you were to win as a participant in this program?

In consideration of my application being accepted, I hereby for myself, my executor, administrators and assignees, agree to abide, and that they shall abide, by all rules and regulations pertaining to the Park County Fair Royalty Contest and I HAVE READ, UNDERSTAND, AND AGREED TO THE RELEASE AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK AGREEMENT. I further agree to indemnify the Fair Board and Park County from and against any loss or damage sustained by reason of any claims made by any of my executors, administrators or assignees. Also, I understand that by participating I release the right, title and claim of any photographs or any other media that may be taken, recorded, taped or otherwise captured by the Fair Board or Park County for their use. I certify that I know the rules of the afore mentioned pageant and agree to abide by them. The undersigned has read the foregoing carefully, have had an opportunity to seek any desired clarification, and agree to these terms and conditions of participation.

Contestant's Signature _____ Date _____

Signature of Parent or Guardian: _____ Date _____