



# Miss Trinity Valley Exposition Fair Queen Contest

## 2024 Overview, Schedule, Rules, & Entry Form

The TVE Fair Queen Contest gives young ladies between 15-19 years of age the opportunity to represent the Trinity Valley Exposition throughout the week of TVE and represent TVE in the parade the year of her reign. Winners will be presented with a buckle, crown, and sash during the 2024 TVE Pageant.

### **Schedule:**

**Entry Deadline:** Tuesday, September 17, 2024

Deliver to TVE Office by 4pm

### **CONTEST INFORMATION:**

*Both of these events are closed to the public.*

#### **Speech/Personal Interview**

**Date:** Wednesday, September 25, 2024

Time: 5:00PM

Location: Community Room @ Trinity Valley Expo Center

#### **CROWNING INFORMATION:**

*Contestants will be introduced and asked questions on stage.*

**Date:** Saturday, October 5, 2024

Time: 5:00PM (Younger Divisions will go first)

Location: Pavilion @ Trinity Valley Expo Center

**EVENT COORDINATOR:** Brittany Lambert 832-332-2284

### **EXPECTATIONS:**

1. Miss TVE FAIR QUEEN 2024 shall possess good morals and character, set high standards and judgements, and serve as a positive role model for all youth and our community.
2. Contestants and Title winner must keep in contact with the event coordinator for appearance information, schedules, and/or advice.
3. Contestants and title winners are expected to be on time for all appearances.
4. Failure to attend and compete at all judged and required events/appearances will result in disqualification and loss of competition fee. **Promptness is essential.**
5. The title winner will be expected to sign a contract outlining their responsibilities and expectations for their year as a representative of TVE.

6. Miss TVE Fair Queen 2024 will be required to attend all selected TVE related events and appearances scheduled throughout the year by the pageant chairman and the TVE directors. She must be available for all events TVE Week October 2024 and October 2025 (until title is passed to new royalty).
7. Further title holder responsibilities will be given at a meeting with the pageant chairman following the 2024 TVE Fair and Rodeo.
8. Failure to comply with all titleholder duties and continued compliance of the rules, guidelines, and expectations during her reign will result in forfeiture of her title.
9. Contestants should wear well-fitted Western style clothing that is clean, pressed and in good condition. Judging will be based on ability to portray a genuine Western image through attire and personality throughout the competition. Attire for all TVE Contest and Events should be Western (If jeans are worn, no holes will be allowed). *Note:* Contestants and Title winner must wear “Western Attire” for all TVE Contests and Events (If jeans are worn, no holes will be allowed). **Attire for Speaking/Interview event must consist of:** Western Jeans (NO HOLES), Belt, Buckle, and Western Boots (a dressier look), with a long-sleeved button-down WHITE shirt.

## RULES:

1. All rules and guidelines below are for all contestants unless otherwise indicated.
2. Must be born a female and compete as a female.
3. Age 15 to 19 as of October 1, 2024 and be in High School.
4. Must be a Resident of the State of Texas and reside and attend school in Liberty or Chambers Counties.
5. Must provide a copy of birth certificate, latest Report Card, proof of residency and Verification of Enrollment from School with entry form.
6. Contestants of high school age must be enrolled in a Texas approved school. Must be in good standing and maintaining passing grades. A copy of the current year’s last grade report card must be provided with entry form. If not available yet a current progress report or last semester report card is required.
7. May not be married, nor ever married, nor had a marriage nullified or be living with a significant other.
8. May not be pregnant nor ever been pregnant or becomes pregnant during reign.
9. If the new 2024 Miss TVE Fair Queen becomes pregnant or marries during her reign, she will forfeit her title as Miss TVE Fair Queen and return **all** prizes won to the Trinity Valley Exposition. As to who will then be awarded the title, prizes, and duties of Miss TVE Fair Queen, will be left to the discretion of the TVE Board of Directors.
10. Miss TVE Fair Queen titleholders are not eligible to run the year they hold the crown (may not hold title 2 consecutive years).
11. No drinking of alcoholic beverages, smoking, or public display of affection such as kissing/sexual conduct will be allowed before, during, or after the pageant. **THIS INCLUDES ON ALL SOCIAL MEDIA OUTLETS.** This behavior will result in immediate disqualification/forfeiture of title and to be banned from future queen competitions at TVE.
12. Contestants cannot have been charged or convicted of a misdemeanor or felony of any kind.
13. Any contestant, parent, or guest demonstrating poor sportsmanship, argumentative, drinking alcohol, etc. will be asked to leave the event and could result in disqualification of the contestant. (This includes inside and outside). If it is a contestant, she will immediately be disqualified. If the contestant or parent shows poor sportsmanship or becomes argumentative (this includes all social media outlets) following the competition of the contest, ALL awards given will be forfeited.
14. At any time, if any of the rules listed above are broken; it is at the coordinator’s discretion to disqualify a contestant on the grounds of breaking the rules as provided for them in the contestant packet. Miss TVE Fair Queen must be following the guidelines before and during the reign of her title.

15. Amendments or clarifications to any rule can be made as deemed necessary at the discretion of the TVE Board of Directors.

## **QUEEN CONTEST DETAILS/ JUDGING CRITERIA:**

Points Breakdown: 300 Total Points Available

Photogenic: 45 Points

Speech: 85 Points

Personal Interview: 85 Points

Stage Presence and Responses: 85 Points

1. **Speech (85 points):** The speech topic is “-----” (speech topic will be given when application is complete and turned in). “Queen” contestants are required to give a 2-3-minute speech. Judging will be based on content, delivery, ability to stay on topic throughout and response to questions.
2. **Photogenic (45 points):** Each contestant will be required to take a color headshot on Wednesday, September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024. Pictures will be judged by a panel of judges separate from Speech and Interview judges.
3. **Personal Interview (85 points):** Judges will interview each contestant individually. Questions may include topics such as current events, educational goals, etc.
4. **Stage Presence and Responses (85 Points):** Contestants will be judged on Stage Presence, and impromptu questions asked by judges on the stage.

**All scores will become the property of Trinity Valley Exposition. No Scores will be made public.**



Miss Rodeo Trinity Valley Exposition  
2024 Entry Form

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Birth date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_\_

Parents' Names: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

School attending: \_\_\_\_\_

School/Extracurricular activities: \_\_\_\_\_

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TVE involvement or activities: \_\_\_\_\_

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Clubs, Offices held, Honors, Previous titles: \_\_\_\_\_

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**Future goals:** \_\_\_\_\_  
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**If you won the title, what would you do to promote the Trinity Valley Exposition?**

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**Social Media:**

**Facebook:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Instagram:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Snapchat:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Twitter:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tiktok:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Include with your entry form:**

1. Signed release agreement and entry fee of \$50.00 cash.
2. Must provide a copy of birth certificate, latest Report Card, proof of residency and Verification of Enrollment from School with entry form.
3. All items must be delivered to the TVE Office by **Tuesday, September 17, 2024 at 4pm.**

# Release Agreement

By my signature on this application, I hereby certify that I have read the regulations governing the Miss Trinity Valley Exposition Fair Queen, and that I acknowledge these regulations.

That I hereby grant permission to the Trinity Valley Exposition to verify any information contained on my application.

That I hereby release the Trinity Valley Exposition from responsibility of injury or loss to persons or property, involving me or persons, relative to my contest appearance, sponsors, commercial and private or the contest and all officers, directors and member individuals and groups of the contest.

That I hereby release title, claim and rights to photographs and/or public relations materials involving me to the contest for use in contest promotion.

That I hereby certify that I have never been married, had a marriage annulled or have a child out of wedlock. I have never been, nor am pregnant now.

Failure on my part to disclose this information to local officials will automatically disqualify me from participation in any contest. Prizes of any kind, which I may receive, will be returned to the contest. The Trinity Valley Exposition will be released from all liability resulting from my actions.

That in the event I receive the Miss Trinity Valley Exposition Fair Queen title, I will complete the tenure of my title in accordance with the aforesaid regulation and in the claims relating to the title upon the naming of my successor.

That I hereby affix my signature attesting my agreement to the above without reserve.

Contestant signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Parent or Legal Guardian \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

This document was acknowledged before me by the said \_\_\_\_\_, on this the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024.

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Notary Public in and for the State of \_\_\_\_\_



# **2024 TVE Fair Queen Application Check List:**

- Completed “Entry Form”
- Notarized “Release Agreement”
- Copy of Birth Certificate
- Most Recent Report Card
- Verification of Enrollment
- Proof of residency
- 50.00 Cash Entry Fee