

2023 Bedford County Fair Queen Contest Application

Contest will be Sunday July 23, 2023

2023 Bedford County Fair will run July 23-July 29, 2023

Application Due June 1, 2023



2022 Bedford County Fair Queen-Lauren Over
2023 Bedford County Fair Queen Alternate-Ashley Funston

Contestants must:

- Be a resident of Bedford County
- Be 16 to 20 years of age on June 1, 2023
- Have her parent's/guardian's consent
- Sign a Code of Conduct agreement
- Attend Fair events throughout fair week even if not chosen as queen.
- Attend community organization events to promote the Bedford County Fair
- Attend the PA State Fair Convention, January 2024, in Hershey, PA if the Queen
- Not be a former local Fair Queen winner or former State Fair Queen contestant
- Not hold any other title for another commodity group or pageant
- Be of good moral character
- Be single, never married, have had no children and must not marry or become pregnant during her reign.

Please attach the following items to this application:

1. Resume
2. Essay
 - a. In 300 words or less, share your thoughts on "What My Fair Means to my Community?"
3. A picture of yourself. This picture will be used in the program.
4. A short biography. This biography will be used in the program.

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Name _____ Age _____ Birthdate _____

Mailing Address: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Phone Number: _____

Contestant Phone Number: _____

High School Name: _____

Grade or Year of Graduation: _____

College _____ Major _____

What are your plans for after high school?

Why have you decided to run for this title?

Application Checklist:

- ☐ Picture
- ☐ Resume
- ☐ Essay
- ☐ Biography
- ☐ Application Sheet

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Completed Applications can be

- emailed to bedfordfairqueen@gmail.com
- Mailed to 112 East Pitt Street Bedford, PA 15522
- Dropped off at Beverly's Touch of Class

Contestants will attend a "Contestant Tea" at Beverly's Touch of Class on **June 10 at 2:00 PM.** At this tea, the contestants will learn more about the contest, review the Code of Conduct agreement, and have the opportunity to ask questions. Dress attire for the tea should be business casual.

All contestants will receive an individual gift. The winner and runner-up will receive a cash award.

All contestants will have the opportunity to promote the Fair throughout the week. A schedule of fair events will be provided to all contestants following the contest. All contestants must be available for miscellaneous duties at Fair even if not chosen as queen.

The Bedford County Fair Queen will participate in the PA Fair Queen Contest at Hershey Lodge, Hershey, PA, in January 2024 and be eligible to win a college scholarship.

If you have questions, please call:

Beverly Stanton – Chairman – 623-0800

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