

2026 St. Charles County Fair Queen Pageant Official Rules and Regulations

The St. Charles County Fair Queen Pageant is held annually in conjunction with the St. Charles County Fair. This year's fair will take place Tuesday, July 28th, 2026 to Saturday, August 1st, 2026, at Rotary Park in Wentzville, MO. Entrants agree to abide by all rules of the St. Charles County Fair Queen Pageant, which are in effect now or as announced later. Entrants agree that the time, manner and method of judging shall be solely at the discretion of the St. Charles County Fair Queen Committee and that the decision of the judges will be final.

Official Rules and Regulations:

- The contest is limited to the first 15 contestants by postmark or date turned in. **No late or incomplete entries will be accepted.**
- Contestants shall be female, residents of Missouri, and have a desire to represent the St. Charles County Fair and all the fair stands for.
- Contestants must be at least 16 years old, but not older than 21 years by July 1, 2026.
- Contestants shall be single and not cohabiting with a male, or at any time have been married, pregnant, or have had a child. A contestant must have never been convicted of any crime or have any criminal charges pending.
- The official entry form and entry fee must be sent to:
 - Becky Pflum-140 Emily Dr, Moscow Mills, MO 63362 by **Tuesday, June 9, 2026.**

A Complete Entry Will Include the Following:

- \$75.00 entry fee by way of sponsor with check made payable to: St. Charles County Fair
- Completed official entry form
- A headshot photo (head and shoulders only) emailed to SCCFQP@gmail.com
- Signed liability waiver

Selection of the St. Charles Co. Fair Queen will be based on the following:

- Participation in Events
- Personal Interview
- Portfolio
- Speech / Talent
- On-stage question

Additional Information:

- Winners will receive prizes, cash and the opportunity to represent the St. Charles County Fair as the Queen and/or her court.
- The Queen must be present through the duration of the fair. The First and Second Runner-Up, Miss Congeniality, and Miss Talent will be required to attend activities during the fair. A schedule will be worked out with these winners. Prizes will be withheld if duties are not completed. Prizes will be given to the top winners on the closing evening of the Fair.
- The St. Charles County Fair Queen will automatically relinquish her title if she enters into a marriage contract or if she chooses to cohabit with a male in lieu of a marriage contract.
- If the Queen fails to complete her term, the title will be passed to the runner's-up in order of their rank, beginning with 1st runner-up.
- The 2026 St. Charles County Fair Queen may represent St. Charles County at the 2027 Missouri State Fair Queen Pageant in Sedalia, MO. *If the 2026 Queen is unable to compete in the Missouri State Fair Queen Pageant, the 1st runner up could be asked to participate in her place.*
- Conduct deemed to be improper and detrimental to the St. Charles County Fair and/or the Queen Contest will be reason for disqualification and dismissal by the Fair Queen Committee.
- Points will be deducted for any portfolios submitted late up to 24 hours after the start of Meeting #3. No portfolios will be accepted after 24 hours past meeting #3.
- In the event of a tie, the number of perfect scores on the overall score card will be used to break the tie.

Meeting Dates:

- Tuesday, June 23, 5:30-7:00 PM Meeting #1- Introduction and overview
- Tuesday, June 30th, 5:30-7:30 PM Meeting #2- Answer questions, review talents, emcee card due, practice on stage questions
- Friday, July 4th- O'Fallon 4th of July Parade
- Tuesday, July 14th, 5:30- 7:00 PM – Meeting #3- Portfolio due, answer questions, practice on stage question, talent sound tracks due
- Friday, July 24th, 5:30 – 7:30 PM Meeting #4- Dress Rehearsal
- Sunday, July 26th- Pageant Day. Times TBD

*These dates are subject to change or cancellation if agreed upon by all contestants.