

# PAGEANTS

## DEPARTMENT 800

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### DIVISION 800 – FAIREST OF THE FAIR

**Please Note:** In the interest of public health and safety, and in an effort to minimize crowding during pageant participation, only the Fairest of the Fair competition will be held in 2021.

Entry Fee:	\$25.00
Chair:	Suzanne Ware, 615-394-1135
Pre-Entry REQUIRED:	<b>ALL entries must be pre-entered and entry fees paid online June 15 – July 25</b> NO entries will be accepted after July 25
Interviews:	Sunday August 8 5:00 p.m. (arrive at the Nissan Stage no later than 4:30 p.m.)
Contest:	Sunday August 8 7:00 p.m.

### AWARDS

- All contestants – a beautiful rhinestone crown and a rose
- Titleholder – a trophy, crown, and sash, plus \$300 and all accommodations and food at State Pageant in January 2022.
- 1<sup>st</sup> Runner-up - \$40.00 and a beautiful rhinestone crown
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner-up - \$30.00 and a beautiful rhinestone crown
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Runner-up - \$20.00 and a beautiful rhinestone crown
- Miss Congeniality – a sash and crown

### RULES AND REGULATIONS:

1. **NEW THIS YEAR:** All contestants **must** be entered, and entry fee paid **online** in the link that will be available June 15 – July 25 on the fair website. **NO** entries will be accepted in the fair office.
2. Contestants must be full-time residents of Williamson County.
3. Age requirements: Must be 16 years of age, but not 21, by Dec 31, 2021.
4. Pageants will be held on the Nissan Stage located on the east side of the fairgrounds, 4215 Long Lane.
5. The fair reserves the right to see proof of age (birth certificate) upon request.
6. Contestant must never have been married or had a child.
7. Sportsmanship and manners are required of all contestants.
8. Dress guidelines are as follows:
  - a. Dress must be formal and floor-length pageant dress.
  - b. Interview suit or dress will be required for interview at 5:00 p.m. pageant day, and same attire will be worn on stage at introductions during the beginning of the pageant.
9. The judges' decision will be final. No refunds will be given.
10. The contestants are scored 25% on each category: inner beauty, poise and personality, and overall appearance and interview.
11. The Nissan Stage is located just inside and to the right on the east side of the main building by Ticket Booths 3 and 4 at the Williamson County Fairgrounds.
12. Only two (2) chaperones are allowed in the dressing room with the contestant.
13. Winners must be willing to represent the Williamson County Fair at different events if called on to do so.
14. The Fairest of the Fair is expected to attend the Tennessee Association of Fairs Convention in Nashville in January 2022. If she cannot attend the State Fairest of the Fair Contest, she must relinquish her crown to the first runner up who will become the new Fairest of the Fair. The Fair Association will furnish room and board plus \$300.00 for expenses at the State Contest.
15. The contestant and two (2) chaperones will be admitted at the gate free. All other family and friends must purchase a General Admission ticket.
16. For questions, email [willifairpageant@yahoo.com](mailto:willifairpageant@yahoo.com), or call 615-394-1135.