



THE THIRTY-NINETH ANNUAL STRIPED BASS FESTIVAL PAGEANT

DATE: Saturday, March 17, 2018
PLACE: Weldon Auditorium
TIME: 5:00 P.M. Ages 0-6
8:00 P.M. Ages 7 & UP

19 North Brooks Street
Manning, SC 29102
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The Miss Striped Bass Festival Pageant is a project of the Clarendon County Chamber of Commerce

THIS PAGEANT IS FOR CLARENDON COUNTY RESIDENTS ONLY

NO WINNER FROM LAST YEAR MAY COMPETE IN ANY GROUP

Age Divisions

5:00 P.M. Competition

Baby Miss 0-12 Months
Tiny Miss 13-23 Months
Petite Miss 2-3 Years
Wee Miss 4-6 Years

8:00 P.M. Competition

Little Miss 7-9 Years
Young Miss 10-12 Years
Teen Miss 13-16 Years
Miss 17 & older

BEAUTY AND PHOTOGENIC COMPETITION ONLY

Competition will begin at 5:00 P.M. & 8:00 P.M.; Two groups will compete and then will be crowned. There will be two runners-up in each group with more than five contestants. If there are less than five, there will be a first runner-up and a winner. In a group of 15 or more, there will be seven semi-finalist.

Ages 0-6 should wear short dresses. Ages 7-10 may wear short or long dresses. Ages 11 & up should wear long dresses.

Rehearsal will be on Thursday, March 15, 2018 beginning at 2:30pm.

Each age group will rehearse at TWENTY minute intervals. REHEARSAL IS NOT MANDATORY, BUT IS RECOMMENDED!

Everyone, except contestant and one parent will pay admission the day of the pageant. General admission is \$5.00 per person. Qualified judges will officiate judging and all decisions of judges of judges are final. Do not approach judges at any time pageant night.

AWARDS:

Each winner will receive a crown, trophy, sash, flowers and Striped Bass Festival T-Shirt.
Runners-Up will receive flowers and trophy.
Photogenic Winners will receive a free sitting with a local professional photographer.

ENTRY FEES: Beauty - \$50 plus a copy of the contestant's birth certificate. All age groups compete on stage. Photogenic - \$10 for 1st photo. \$5 for each additional photo. Contestants do not have to compete in beauty to enter. Put name and Division entering on the back of each picture. Do not mail 8 X 10 photos. All photos may be picked up at the contestant entry door after 5:00 or later at the Chamber Office.

Entry forms and photos may be turned in at the Clarendon County Chamber of Commerce Office located at 19 North Brooks Street, Manning.

DEADLINE:

Applications should be turned in by Friday, March 2rd. **There will be a \$25 late fee for every entry after the deadline.** Please try to have your application in on time so your name will appear in the program. Applications turned in after **Tuesday, March 13th will have a \$50 late fee.**

PRINT CLEARLY OR TYPE THE FOLLOWING:

NAME OF DIVISION ENTERING _____ LINE # _____

NAME (FULL) _____

PARENTS _____ EMAIL _____

GRANDPARENTS _____

SCHOOL _____

GRADE _____ AMBITION _____

ACTIVITIES _____

OTHER INTERESTS & HOBBIES _____

SPONSORS _____

Mail applications to the Clarendon County Chamber of Commerce, 19 North Brooks Street, Manning, SC 29102. Sponsors can be relatives, friends or businesses and this is tax deductible for business advertisement. Make all checks payable to the Clarendon County Chamber of Commerce.

Miss Striped Bass agrees to appear at the festival functions. The first 4 winners and runners ups will meet at intermission on stage for group photo. The last 4 group winners and runners up meet at the conclusion of the pageant on stage for group photo. The winners also return on Friday, April 20th to be announced at Opening Ceremonies and Saturday, April 21st to participate in the parade (corner of Old Georgetown and Brooks Street. Float is provided). Please wear crowns and banners. No trophies.

WAIVER OF CLAIM: Acceptance of my entry in the Clarendon County Striped Bass Festival Pageant is without assumption of liability of any kind by any of the sponsoring organizations or any persons or official connected with the pageant. I hereby waive and release them for all claims and demands of every kind, nature and description which may be suffered or sustained by me in connection with my activities during the pageant and any period of traveling to and from the same, and I hereby covenant not to sue therefore.

REQUIRED:

PARENT OR GUARDIAN SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____

ADDRESS _____ PHONE # _____