

2010 Contra Costa County Fair Queen Application

Name _____ Age _____ Birth Date _____

Address _____

City _____ Zip _____ Phone (home) _____ (cell) _____

Email _____

High School _____ Graduation year _____

College _____ Graduation year _____

Current GPA _____ Occupation _____

How long have you been a resident of Contra Costa County? _____

Hobbies/Special Interests _____

Clubs Organizations you belong to _____

Immediate Plans (college, work, etc.) _____

Community Service _____

Future Plans & Goals _____

Please explain in writing why you would like to be the Contra Costa County Fair Queen, and what makes you the ideal candidate. Please limit your response to one 8 1/2" x 11" typed page. Mail or deliver in person your completed entry form, signed pages outlining contest guidelines, essay response and a recent photo to:

Contra Costa County Fair
Queen Contest
1201 W. Tenth Street
Antioch CA 94509

****Entries must be received by 5 pm on Monday, March 29, 2010. ****
Interviews and crowning of the 2010 Fair Queen will take place Friday, April 2, beginning at 6 PM.

**2010 Contra Costa County Fair Queen Contest
Fair Queen Contestant**

1. As a contestant, I am between the ages of 18 and 25 as of April 1, 2010.
2. I am a resident of Contra Costa County and will remain a resident of Contra Costa County during the entire year of my reign.
3. I am single, have never been married, or been a parent, and I am of good moral character. Neither I, nor any member of my immediate family, is employed by the 23rd District Agricultural Association (Contra Costa County Fair).
4. I have not, as of this date appeared or posed nude in any photographs, movies, videos, or publications, nor will I, until my reign as Contra Costa County Fair Queen is completed.
5. I agree that the manner and method of judging the Contra Costa County Fair Queen Contest, the decision of the judges, and awarding the title, and all matters pertaining to the selection of the winner shall be final.
6. The Fair Queen will receive \$300 cash after completion of the 2010 Contra Costa County Fair. The \$300 is full compensation for all duties performed.
7. Interviews for the finalists will be held at 6 pm on Friday, April 2, 2010. All contestants who wish to be considered for the Fair Queen title must be present for this interview. The interview will be held at the Fairgrounds Office. You may bring a limit of two (2) guests with you to the Fairgrounds Office on April 2, although all contestants will be sequestered in a separate room from guests until the interview process has been completed.

Signature _____ Date _____

Fair Queen Contestant

Should I be chosen as the 2010 Contra Costa County Fair Queen, I will assume the responsibilities of the position which include:

1. Making appearances as requested by the Fair Queen Coordinator from April 2, 2010 until the selection of the 2011 Contra Costa Fair Queen in Spring 2011.
2. Performing the duties of the Contra Costa County Fair Queen during the Contra Costa County Fair, June 3-6, 2010 and appearing daily on the grounds under the supervision of the Fair Queen Coordinator. Hours of the Fair are generally 11 am to 11 pm. Additionally, there are elementary schools visiting on Friday morning before the Fair opens to the general public and various news media prior to fair opening at the Fairgrounds, which the Fair Queen *MAY* be required to participate in.
3. As a contestant, I give the Contra Costa County Fair permission to utilize me for any and/or all publicity purposes associated with the 2010 Fair.
4. I understand that the crown and banner are gifts from the Contra Costa County Fair. I will treat the crown and banner with care, and will wear both whenever I am representing the Contra Costa County Fair.
5. I understand that the purpose of the Contra Costa County Fair Queen is to promote a positive image for the Contra Costa County Fair, the 23rd District Agricultural Association, and the Fair Board of Directors. Contacts with the media about the Fair are made through the Fair Queen Coordinator.
6. I agree that I will not incur and I am not authorized to incur any debts on behalf of the Contra Costa County Fair Queen Contest or the 23rd District Agricultural Association (Contra Costa County Fair). I also agree not to solicit or accept any prizes, gifts, or loans in the name of the Contra Costa County Fair without the approval of the Fair Queen Coordinator.

In the event that I should break the terms of this agreement; if my conduct is in any way damaging to the Contra Costa County Fair; or if for any reason I should be unable to fulfill the duties as Contra Costa County Fair Queen, I will forfeit the title, and the crown will be transferred to the first runner-up and she will complete the year as the Contra Costa County Fair Queen.

Signature _____ Date _____