

Beaver Oktoberfest  
P.O. Box 151  
Beaver, OH 45613  
beaveroktoberfest.com

To all prospective contestants, parents & guardian,

The Beaver Oktoberfest is looking for the next Queen & her court! Would you like to travel, meet new people, make friends from all over the state of Ohio & Beaver? Representing the Oktoberfest is an honor! Please read the attached eligibility rules & regulations you are required to abide by during your candidacy.

The contract & consent agreement form must be signed by the candidate & at least one parent or guardian. The forms must be completed & returned to the Royalty Director postmarked no later than Wednesday, September 19<sup>th</sup>. **Closed door interviews will be held on Sunday, September 23<sup>rd</sup> starting at 10 am at Beaver Methodist Church (22 Western Ave, Beaver).** Please wear something you would wear to church (no formals)

**The Oktoberfest will crown a Queen, 1<sup>st</sup> attendant and 2<sup>nd</sup> attendant. If chosen, you will receive a trophy, sash & crown. Please note that you will be expected to wear a formal dress opening night and color coordinate with the court members for the rest of the weekend. The parents/guardian are responsible for transportation of the float to parades along with the child (suggest carpooling and taking turn pulling the float).**

Please call or text any of the numbers below if any questions. I look forward to hearing from you!

Thank you and good luck!!

Megan Richards (740)970-3191  
Stephanie Wicker (740)648-5411  
Jade Sigmon (740)222-1526  
Lora Traylor (740)977-8167

PLEASE READ ALL THE RULES CAREFULLY!

*Complete the enclosed application and signature page, return it with \$10 nonrefundable entry fee.  
Postmarked no later than Wednesday, September 19<sup>th</sup>.*

**Beaver Oktoberfest**  
**Re: Queen's Court**  
**P.O. Box 151**  
**Beaver, OH 45613**  
**Email: jdn\_05@yahoo.com**

**ELIGIBILITY RULES FOR THE BEAVER OKTOBERFEST QUEEN & COURT**

1. The crown and sash shall be worn for all appearances as the Beaver Oktoberfest Festival Royalty. The sash & crown are property of the Beaver Oktoberfest until you fulfill your duties as Queen or Attendant. It is your responsibility to replace any lost, stolen or damaged items, any replaced items should be replaced with the same.
2. The Queen and court shall be well groomed and neat for all functions and appearances. Please be tactful; do not wear short skirts or low cut shirts. Visible piercings of any body part other than ears as well as visible tattooing will not be permitted. When you are wearing your crown and sash, you are representing The Beaver Oktoberfest and the community. Your cooperation in this is expected. Any violation may result in suspension.
3. **The parents/guardians are responsible to transport the float to any parades attended along. A parent or guardian must accompany their child at each event (i.e. even if 18 or older).**
4. Please no public display of affection while participating in Oktoberfest events and/or representing the Oktoberfest at other festivals.
5. **All candidates must reside in Beaver or a student at Eastern High School in grades 9-12.**
6. Contestant must reside with their parent or guardian.
7. If chosen, you must complete 8 hours of community service work within the year as your reign.
8. Reasons for immediate disqualification from the queen's contest & dismissal from court:
  - a. Marriage before or during reign.
  - b. Pregnancy before or during reign.
  - c. Suspension from school.
  - d. Conviction of any criminal activity.
  - e. Use of illegal drugs, alcohol, profanity or tobacco during your reign.
  - f. Any behavior which would reflect poorly on the Beaver Oktoberfest including on Facebook, Instagram, Snapchat, Twitter, any other social media sites or electronic media communications.
9. All scores will remain property of the Beaver Oktoberfest. No scores will be given out to anyone. Decisions of the judges are final and there will be no further discussion.
10. You must carry a 3.00 GPA or higher as of the 4<sup>th</sup> nine weeks of the previous school year.
11. Disciplinary action at school must be self reported to the Beaver Oktoberfest Committee & could result in suspension or disqualification of title. Failure to self report school disciplinary action to the committee is a contract violation and may result in dismissal of the title & all prizes and/or awards. This includes any in-school suspensions, detentions, suspension or any other discipline.
12. You may not be a member or try out for another queen's court during your reign (Homecoming or Prom Queens is okay).
13. If the Queen or Court member resigns or is disqualified during their reign, she is unable to enter the contest again.
14. Only pins and buttons from other festivals/events are allowed on sashes.
15. Each court member must have a parent or guardian present at the Queen's lunch on Sunday at 12:00 am to help take pictures, serve drinks, register other queens, clean up and hand out prizes.
16. We ask that each court member bake a cake or pie for our auction on Saturday of the Oktoberfest.
17. Must be available for parades, functions and appearances. After 3 unexcused absences you will be dismissed.
18. Unbecoming conduct of any kind will be brought to the Beaver Oktoberfest Committee along with your parents/guardian. At that time, you will be given the opportunity to defend yourself. The committee will then determine if you may no longer participate.

***Please mail completed & signed application no later than Monday, September 18th, or hand delivered by Thursday, September 21st with \$10 entry fee (non refundable)***

In consideration of holding the title of queen or serving as a court member, the undersigned royalty/queen and parents or guardian(s) hereby promise and agree to indemnify and save keep harmless the Beaver Oktoberfest, its committee members, the chairpersons or any person representing the Beaver Oktoberfest against any and all suits, claims, demands, costs damages, counsel fees, charges, liabilities and expenses whatsoever, which she or including accidents or other tortuous conduct may occur.

**I authorize the festival to use photos, videos or motion pictures of my daughter in the newspaper for advertising and website publications in order to promote the Beaver Oktoberfest. I also give the royalty director consent to contact my daughters' school to release any information regarding anything that may have an effect on my daughters' duties as a member of the Beaver Oktoberfest royalty.**

I have read and understand the eligibility rules and will abide by such if chosen to represent the Oktoberfest. If I fail to abide by the rules & regulations, I understand that I may be suspended from travel and/or could forfeit my title, prizes & awards.

**Candidate's Printed Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of contestant:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of parent/ guardian:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Oktoberfest Committee Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

Please mail the following:

- \$10 nonrefundable entry fee (make checks payable to Beaver Oktoberfest)
- This page signed with contestant and parent/guardian signature
- Information sheet

**Application**

CONTESTANT NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

*PERFERRED METHOD OF CONTACT:* \_\_\_\_\_ *TEXT* \_\_\_\_\_ *EMAIL* \_\_\_\_\_ *PHONE*

DATE OF BIRTH: \_\_\_\_\_ GRADE: \_\_\_\_\_ GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ SCHOOL: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT(S)/GUARDIAN: \_\_\_\_\_

SIBLINGS: \_\_\_\_\_

**FAVORITES**

COLOR: \_\_\_\_\_ FOOD: \_\_\_\_\_

TV SHOW: \_\_\_\_\_ SINGER: \_\_\_\_\_

BOOK: \_\_\_\_\_ MOVIE: \_\_\_\_\_

HOBBIES: \_\_\_\_\_

CLUBS/ORGANIZATIONS: \_\_\_\_\_

FUTURE PLANS: \_\_\_\_\_

IF YOU COULD HAVE LUNCH WITH ONE PERSON WHO WOULD IT BE: \_\_\_\_\_

DESCRIBE YOURSELF IN ONE WORD: \_\_\_\_\_

WHY DO YOU WANT TO BE THE BEAVER OKTOBERFEST QUEEN: \_\_\_\_\_

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*Your signature means you have read and agree to be bound by the Contest Eligibility Rules and Acknowledge the expectations of the Beaver Oktoberfest Committee.*

CONTESTANT SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/ GUARDIAN SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_