

EXPENSE AND PARENTAL RESPONSIBILITY

OF WINNING THE TITLE

During the course of the year the pageant winners, which I call them pageant royalty, will have a lot of outings, appearances, fund raisers, hotel stays, and other events which may or may not require funding for. Here are a few of the examples. I want every contestant and parent to know, up front, the expenses they may face in the next year, should you or your child win the title they are competing for.

Two weeks after the Fair Pageants the State Fair begins and the Little Miss & Mr. are required to compete in the State County Fair Pageant. This will entail a hotel stay of \$150.00, possibly new clothes, shoes, entry into the State Fair at least once, but possibly twice on that day. That could be an expense in total of up to \$250 - \$300. (per child) _____ initial please.

In addition to the younger children on that day, the Miss Hometown and Miss OC Fair may be required to attend that event to chaperone the little ones. It will be an all day and night event. She will be dressing in a casual outfit, then change into formal or semi formal wear for the Governor's meet and greet, Opening Day Ceremony, and the actual pageant, which you will be on stage with the Little Miss & Mr. while they compete, are interviewed, etc. This expense could amount to a new outfit or two, entry into the fair at least once, and if you choose to get a hotel room. This totals up to about \$275.00. _____ initial please.

For all State Pageants, all categories, a hotel room for at least one day, Miss requires (2) day stay, is expected. The State Committee wants all contestants to stay on-sight, where the event is being held, and the Pre-Teen and Teen is at Crown Plaza in October, and Miss is at the Galt Hotel in January. This expense is around \$150 per day, per room. The food, state attire, travel expenses amount to whatever you spend on clothing and accessories, plus food, and gas for travel. Family member tickets must also purchase tickets to the State Pageants at \$20 per seat. _____ initial please.

Throughout the year, we may have bake sales, where you may be asked to participate. We also may adopt a family at Christmas time and you will be expected to help in fund raising, donating time and money, and volunteering whenever and wherever in our local area up to Louisville area. We also may attend grand openings of businesses (our sponsors). We have for several years now have attended all Oldham County High School Homecoming Games, wearing semi-formal/dress clothing.

Winning the title can be costly, busy, and without much notice. Please be aware of these expenses and responsibilities when you register to compete for the Crown!!!

By signing You are acknowledging you have been informed of the future expenses incurred while holding an Oldham County Fair Title.

Contestant's signature Date

Parent's signature Date

THANK YOU! SONDR A CAWTHON, DIRECTOR