

# PENNSBORO COUNTRY ROADS FESTIVAL

## PAGEANTS QUEEN APPLICATION

(Typewritten or printed in ink please) Do not change this form in any way or put on colored paper

Name of Contestant \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

Name you wish used on stage and in the program booklet: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parents/Guardians: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Height: \_\_\_\_\_

Hair Color: \_\_\_\_\_ Color of Eyes: \_\_\_\_\_

School Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_ (2016-2017)

Major (College): \_\_\_\_\_

School and Community Activities: \_\_\_\_\_

Ambition: \_\_\_\_\_

Hobbies: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Interests, Activities or Honors: \_\_\_\_\_

Three (3) Favorite Foods: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

Three (3) Words to Best Describe yourself: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_

How would you best represent the Festival if Crowned Queen Vera the XXII: \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor (if applicable) : \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Contestant Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent or Guardian Signature

**Entry Deadline:** Postmarked on or before – August 15th (All contestants should plan to attend Orientation on August 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm Pictures will be taken for the papers at this time.)

Mail this form and contestant entry Fee (Queen \$100) along with recent photo no larger than 5x7, and signed contracts to:  
Penssboro Country Roads Festival pageants c/o Terrie Swathwood P.O. Box 213 Smithburg, WV 26436

Queen Pageant Qualifies for WVAFF Pageant in January 2016 also a \$200 sponsorship is available if Queen enters the Miss WV Pageant.

### **Rules & Regulations:**

1. *Contestant must reside in Ritchie, Pleasants, Tyler or Doddridge County*
2. *All contestants must maintain a 2.0 GPA*
3. *Contestant cannot be currently married, have been married or had a marriage annulled. Also, must remain single throughout their reign.*
4. *Cannot be currently pregnant or have ever borne a child.*
5. *Entries, Picture (no larger than 5x7) and entry fee must be enclosed and postmarked no later than August 15<sup>th</sup>. Mailed to PCRFB Pageants c/o Terrie Swathwood – P.O. Box 213 Smithburg, WV 26436*
6. *Age Requirements (on day of Pageant):  
Queen – at least 16 and no older than 21*
7. *Should attend Orientation to receive rehearsal schedule on August 18<sup>th</sup> at 6:30 pm at Pennsboro Depot – Pictures will be taken for Newspaper at this time. You will need to have a question ready for your index card – these will be the fish bowl questions for on-stage. If you are unable to attend – you must notify the Director in advance.*
8. *Entry Deadline: Postmarked on or before – August 15<sup>th</sup>.*

*Questions: Contact Terrie at Daytime (304)665-3792*

*Location: Ritchie County High School Auditorium (Saturday – August 27, 2016 3:00 pm)*

*Queens Competition Phases:*

*Opening Number – Contestants must be in Shorts or Capris with a solid t-shirt and sneakers – this will be for Introductions – No scoring.*

*30 Second Promo – Contestant must have a 30 second Promo on the festival. The committee is willing to help with ideas but will not write it for any contestant. Will be in your opening number outfit.*

*Express Yourself – this outfit should express the person that you are! It can range from Jeans to cocktail dress.*

*Personal Interviews – Wear something appropriate for a job interview.*

*Evening Gown – this is a gown of your choice there will be 3 questions from your fact sheet along with one question from either another contestant – the reigning Queen or the Pageant Director.*

## **SPORTSMANSHIP CONTRACT**

Due to circumstances beyond our control, we have been forced to have a contract for all Contestants and Parents in regards to Sportsmanship. Please read the following carefully and sign below if in agreement.

- I agree to show good sportsmanship BEFORE, DURING and AFTER the Pageant.
  - This includes riding in the parade if I am a Runner-up or award winner.
- I agree to show good sportsmanship no matter what the outcome of the Pageant.
- I agree that if it is deemed by the Pageant Committee that Good Sportsmanship is not shown that I will not be permitted to enter the Pennsboro Country Roads Festival Pageant at any time in the future.
- I agree that if the above is deemed that ALL PRIZES which I should receive as a finalist will be forfeited.
- I agree that I will not approach any Judge in a un-sportsman like manner.

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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(We welcome any comments from contestants and parents)

Contestant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Princess Contestant – ONLY: Name should be printed in the above space)

Parent Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Committee Witness: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**2016 QUEEN VERA XXII CONTRACT**

Contestant's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Pageant: Saturday – August 27, 2016

If I am crowned Queen Vera XXII on August 27<sup>th</sup>, I agree to uphold my obligations as listed below:

- To represent the Pennsboro Country Roads Festival at the WV Fairs & Festivals Pageant (if eligible) in Charleston during January 2017. All outfits for WV AFF convention are to be approved by the Pageant Staff as appropriate for representation of the Pennsboro Country Roads Festival.
- To represent the Pennsboro Country Roads Festival as Visiting Royalty as often as possible.
- To cooperate with the pageant committee. I will notify the committee of upcoming events I plan to attend.
- Not to enter or participate, as a contestant, in any pageant or contest during the term of this agreement. I further agree to relinquish any titles I now hold other than this particular one. I understand that the \$1,000 Scholarship will not be distributed until completion of my reign as Queen Vera XXII. (this will hold so for the runners-up also). Proof of Enrollment is required for disbursement for both Queen and Runner-ups.
- If a Runner-Up I agree to participate in the Festival Parade in order to obtain my Scholarship. (If obligations prevent this I agree to contact the Pageant Director)
- I attest that I am a citizen of the United States of America and a legal resident of the State of West Virginia.
- I agree to reign over the Pennsboro Country Roads Festival and participate in all activities required by said event and committee.
- I understand that I must have at least a 2.0 GPA to be eligible to receive the scholarship money.
- I attest that I am of good moral character; that I have not been convicted of any major crime; that I have not heretofore made any obligations that would prevent or limit my participation as Queen Vera and that I am not a current titleholder nor never have been Queen Vera.
- I understand that my reign will not be complete until the crowning of Queen Vera XXIII.
- I understand that if I break any of the covenants herein, I may be removed and replaced as Queen Vera XXII.

With my signature I certify that I have read this agreement and understand it. I further understand that in the event I do not fulfill any of the above agreements, unless extenuating circumstances prevail, the committee shall have the right to terminate this agreement and 1<sup>st</sup> runner-up will be appointed as successor.

Signature Contestant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature – Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature – Pageant Director: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_