

2022 CRAWFORD COUNTY FAIR QUEEN CONTEST

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

May/June/July Advertise: Fair Queen contestants (deadline August 12)

Fair Queen Program
Crawford County Fair Office
903 Diamond Park
Meadville, PA 16335
Email: ccfair@co.crawford.pa.us

*****We follow the rules of the PA Fair Queen/State Fair Competition*****

August 14 Orientation at Fairgrounds (casual photos will be taken)

August 20 Judging of contestants

August 22 Candidates and their escort will be introduced on stage. Each contestant will introduce themselves, share highlights of their essay and respond to a question (non-judged)

***A queen will be crowned and a runner-up will be named

Crawford County Fair Queen qualifications are as follows:

1. Must be a U.S. citizen, a female and a resident of Crawford or a surrounding county in PA.
2. Must be at least age 16 but no older than 20 years of age by June 1.
3. Must be single, never married, have no children and must not marry nor get pregnant during her reign.
4. Must have parent or guardian's signature/consent and act in accordance with the State Fair Queen Behavior Policy.
5. Must complete an application and participate in all required activities including orientation,

interview sessions, crowning ceremony and be available the week of the fair for fair events as well as throughout the year as requested to participate in local events as an official representative of the fair.

6. Prepare for, attend and compete in the PA State Fair Competition in Hershey. (January)

7. Must have personal knowledge/experiences of the County Fair and PA 4H.

8. Prepare a 90 second persuasive speech on "Why you should attend and participate in the Crawford County Fair" and a 300-word essay on their own experiences at the county fair.

9. Contestant's knowledge of the fair, speaking ability and personality will be judged by a panel of judges. Poise, appearance, level of confidence and career aspirations will be considered.

10. A letter of recommendation from a teacher, employer or a 4H leader or youth advisor is required as part of the application.

11. Each candidate is encouraged to collect a minimum of \$200 in sponsors.

TO DO:

_____ **Completed application (due August 12 to Fair Office)**

_____ **Letter of recommendation (due August 12 as part of application)**

_____ **\$100 sponsors (due at orientation)**

_____ **300-word essay on your personal fair experiences (due at orientation)**

_____ **90 second speech on why you should attend the Crawford County Fair (judged August 20)**

_____ **Provide 3 framed photos for display at the fair (a mix of 5x7/8x10-- due at orientation)**