



Boerne Berges Fest

2017 Pageant Rules & Regulations

1. The Miss Berges Fest Pageant is open to all 9th, 10th, 11th 12th grade students for the current school year. Past Miss Berges Queens are ineligible.
2. The Little Miss & Mister Pageant is open to all students entering 1st or 2nd grade. Past Little Miss Berges Fest & Little Mister are ineligible.
3. All contestants must reside in the Boerne Independent School District (BISD). Contestants do not have to attend BISD but must reside fulltime within the District and still attend either public, private or home school for the grades listed.
4. German attire is required for the pageant.
5. Contestants will need to provide a 250 word or less bio to be read on stage during pageant.
6. Each contestant will be responsible for securing a \$50 pageant sponsor. This sponsor or family will be responsible for providing a vehicle for the parade if you are not chosen as part of the 2017-2018 court.
7. Miss Berges Fest contestants will need to prepare a 2 minute speech that will be given during the private interview with the Berges Fest Judges. The topic of speech is, **“Why I Should Be The Next Miss Berges Fest.”**
8. All contestants will participate in a one to one interview session with the judges.
9. Miss Berges Fest contestants will prepare, and give a 1 minute on stage welcome to festival attendees.
10. Cell phone usage will not be permitted during the pageant.
11. All decisions of the judges are final. The BBF Board and its affiliates have no say in the scores. All score cards are property of Boerne Berges Fest, and are not available to the public. **NO EXCEPTIONS.**
12. Miss Berges Fest contestants are judged on the following criteria:
 - a. Interview.....100 pts.
 1. Speech
 2. Interview Questions
 3. Personality
 4. Festival Knowledge
 5. Poise/Confidence
 - b. Stage.....100 points
 1. On Stage Welcome
 2. Stage/Runway Presence
 3. Float Presentation
 4. Personality

I have read these rules, and the Berges Fest Court Manual. By signing the below, I am agreeing that I fully understand the rules and expectations set forth by Boerne Berges Fest. I also certify that information provided on the application is true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that if chosen to serve on the Berges Fest Court, and if I falsely provided information on the application or I breach rules it will result in my immediate removal from the Court.

Contestant Name: _____

Contestant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____