

**37th Annual Allendale County
Miss/Master Natural Festival Pageant
In honor of the “Allendale County Cooter Festival”**

May 1, 2010

Pageant begins promptly at 11:00am

We do not accept door entries. All applications, fees, and signature money must be turned in by **April 24th – No exceptions!!**

Registration: Saturday 9:00am May 1st – all contestants are to be registered by 10am!!

Will be held at the B & G Conference Center
Allendale – Fairfax Hwy. Allendale, SC

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Please make checks payable to Melissa Bonnette c/o Springfest Pageant
There will be a \$30 charge for all returned checks!

Groups

Boys: 0-2, 3-5, 6-9

Girls: 0-11, 12-23, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7-9, 10-12, 13-15, 16-19, 20&up (single/married)

SUPREME PACKAGE - \$55

(Beauty, photogenic, Spring wear)

Line up is first application in last out in each category!!

Natural Pageant rules:

Beauty wear for girls, can be Sunday dress, flower girl dress, Easter dress, natural type pageant dress, or prom dress. For ages 0-9 "NO LARGE AB STONES ON THE DRESSES" dresses may have some sequins or small pearls but NO heavy stones!! This will count against you! Do not let the dress overpower your child. No make up is allowed in age's birth to 6 years, 7-9 may wear lip-gloss and powder, 10 and up are allowed to wear age appropriate makeup. We are looking for a PRETTY face and personality! No wigs, falls, or any kind of hair extensions are allowed.

Boys dress clothes can be suit, tux, or dressed outfit of any kind!

Prizes & Winnings

Beauty Kings/Queens: There will be a winner per age group. Winners will receive a beautiful crown and sash. (Winner will be the contestant with the highest score of beauty only for each age division)

Photogenic: Photos can be any size up to 8 ½ x 11, no smaller than a 4x6. Must be a natural photo (no enhancement). 1 Photo is included with the entry fee price any additional photos are \$5 each. Winners will receive a trophy or plaque. There will be a winner in each age group.

Spring Wear: May be custom made or off the rack, please be discrete and tasteful. Winners will receive a trophy or plaque. There will be a winner in each age group.

Signature Awards: you may pay for your entry fees by collecting signature or business ads. If you get an ad sponsor please be sure to get their business card, as we will advertise them on the program. Signature sheet will be on the back of this application. If you collect the following (not) going towards your entry fees you will receive the following awards:

\$75 – tiara \$100 – tiara and gift \$175 – tiara, gift, trophy
\$200 – tiara, gift, larger trophy \$300 – Your entry fees paid to the pageant, large crown, directors gift, 4ft trophy with your name engraved on it, and will be crowned as Gem Prince/Princess. Signature awards **DO NOT** have anything to do with the actual winners of the pageant!

GENERAL INFORMATION

Score Sheets: All score sheets are final. Please be sure to **send a stamped envelope** with your application if you want your score sheets after the pageant. Score sheets are held for two weeks after the pageant and are discarded there after. Score sheets will be mailed in your envelope and not given out after the pageant!!

Judges will be available after the pageant for questions; all judges' decisions are final! We will have a professional photographer the day of the pageant and packages are available for purchase. Any pictures taken at the pageant will/or maybe used for advertisement for future pageants.

Door Admission: Each contestant will receive 1 chaperone badge per contestant. Adults will be \$5 each, children 6-11 will be \$2 each, and children under 5 are free.

LINE UP IS 1ST IN LAST OUT IN EACH DIVISION – If you do not want to be the very first person get your applications in early as we receive them you will be added to the list – 1st in last out!

*****Please note: If your contestant wins in the pageant and you want to put them in the parade, you must provide your own transportation and fill out the parade application on line. www.cooterfest.com*****

EMCEE APPLICATION:
(PLEASE PRINT IN BLACK OR BLUE INK) PRINT NEATLY AND CLEARLY
AS THIS IS WHAT THE EMCEE WILL READ. PLEASE FILL OUT EVERY LINE!

NAME: _____

Age: _____ DOB: _____

Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ - Zip: _____

Phone: _____ - Email _____

Parents: _____

Hair Color: _____ Eye Color: _____

Hobbies: _____

Ambition: _____

I hereby agree to hold Melissa Bonnette and her pageant system, staff & facility of where pageant is held, completely harmless for any events which occur before, during, or after the pageant, including but not limited to; theft, illness, injury, accident, etc. I understand that I enter this pageant at my own risk and assume full responsibility for my own property and person. I understand that the decision of the judges is final and unsportsmanlike conduct by me or any members of my family may be grounds for disqualification without refund! ***I understand that no refunds will be given once received for ANY circumstances- unless the Pageant Director cancels the event.*** I give permission for photos taken during and after this pageant to be used in promotion of the pageant system. By signing and submitting this application, I agree that I am the legal guardian or contestant. All information contained herein is true and accurate to the best of my ability and I agree to abide by the rules and regulations of the pageant. **We reserve the right to combine or delete age/gender divisions if less than 2 contestants per division.** Director also reserves the right to titles and prizes. Please read and sign the attached Rules and Regulations.

Parent/Guardian Signature

Date