

2026 MISS COLUSA COUNTY SCHOLARSHIP PAGEANT

The Miss Colusa County Scholarship Pageant provides an opportunity to enhance your personal development in the areas of poise, self-confidence, communication skills, and good sportsmanship, along with youth accomplishments, community service, academic achievement, and recognition for excellence. All rules and regulations are designed to make the pageant a fun and successful event for all involved.

GENERAL REQUIREMENTS & RULES

1. Contestant must be between the age of 16 and not older than 19 as of June 1st of this calendar year and at least in the 11th grade.
2. Contestant must be a resident of Colusa County and the State of California for at least one year prior to the opening of the fair.
3. Contestant must complete the official pageant application. Parent or legal guardian must sign all applications if applicant is under the age of 18.
4. **Contestant and/or sponsor(s) shall pay an application fee of \$150.00 per contestant.** Fee must accompany the contestant's application. Checks are payable to 44th District Agricultural Association. If sponsored, sponsor(s) will be announced on stage during the contestant's various areas of competition.
5. All applications must be turned into the Colusa County Fair Office no later than 4:00 p.m. on **Monday, March 23, 2026.**
6. Applications are limited to the first ten entries received. Entries will be time and date stamped as received.
7. Contestant must agree to abide by all the rules and regulations of the Miss Colusa County pageant and Fair Board rules and regulations. Failure to do so may result in disqualification.
8. Miss Colusa County contestants not chosen as Miss Colusa County may compete in the following year.
9. Contestant must attend all scheduled practices unless prior arrangements have been made with the Director.
10. Contestant shall make all appearances for publicity reasons and any other similar type appearances and rehearsals so designated by the pageant director at their expense unless other arrangements are made.
11. Personal interview must be done in person and on the scheduled day (Sunday before pageant). Make up interviews are not allowed. Failure to attend interview will result in disqualification.
12. Attendance at Technical Rehearsal and Dress Rehearsal are **required**. Failure to attend will result in disqualification.
13. Awards are as follows: Miss Colusa County will receive a \$1000 scholarship and Miss Colusa County Runner Up will receive a \$500 scholarship, both to be

- awarded with proof of enrollment at a college or trade school. Checks will be mailed directly to the school.
14. Scholarships will expire if not redeemed within two years of the contestant's High School Graduation date. ***If you elect not to go to college, or a trade school you forfeit the scholarship.***
 15. Contestants must have a minimum GPA of 2.0. Transcripts will be required at time of application: **Monday, March 23, 2026.**

RULES & REGULATIONS OF THE NEWLY CROWNED MISS COLUSA COUNTY

1. Winner agrees to attend all public appearances when asked by the Miss Colusa County Director or Fair Manager.
2. Winner must have all appearances as Miss Colusa County approved by the Miss Colusa County Director.
3. If the contestant chosen as Miss Colusa County should for any reason not to be able to fulfill her reign, the runner up will resume the title for the remainder of the year.
4. Winner agrees to only wear the sash and/or crown at approved appearances. If winner also receives the title of Miss Congeniality, only her Miss Colusa County sash will be worn, **NOT BOTH.**
5. Winner must be a positive and professional representative of Colusa County and Colusa County Fair. Any inappropriate behavior in person or online could result in the loss of her title. Should title be lost, winner understands they will forfeit their \$1000 scholarship.
6. The new Miss Colusa County will be responsible for transportation arrangements to and from all activities and appearances at their expense, unless other arrangements are made.
7. Miss Colusa County will be given one sash and one crown only. Replacement of either items will be at the cost of the reigning Miss Colusa County. Notification of any damages or losses must be submitted to the Fair Office and replacements will be facilitated through the Fairgrounds.
8. Runner Up will receive one tiara and one sash. Replacement of either item will be at the cost of the reigning First Runner Up.
9. Runner Up will be asked to appear at approved appearances **ONLY** when Miss Colusa County is unavailable.

LOST ARTICLES

Contestant understands that the Miss Colusa County Pageant will not be responsible for lost or stolen articles during any pre-competition and/or competition activities.

ENTRY FORM

2026 MISS COLUSA COUNTY PAGEANT COLUSA COUNTY FAIR - June 11, 2026

Application due to Colusa County Fair Office March 23, 2026 at 4:00 P.M.

NAME: _____ AGE: _____

PHYSICAL ADDRESS: _____

MAILING ADDRESS: _____

HOME PHONE _____ CELL PHONE _____ PARENT PHONE _____

SCHOOL CURRENTLY ATTENDING: _____

GRADE: _____

CURRENT GPA _____ Official transcript to be submitted at time of application

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

I hereby agree, if chosen Miss Colusa County 2026, to reign as Miss Colusa County through June 10, 2027. I also agree to act as a positive and professional representative of Colusa County and the Colusa County Fair and attend functions necessary throughout the year of my reign. I agree to submit my Official High School transcripts to the Fair Office as stated in #15 of the general requirements and rules. In addition, I also agree that should I not abide by the rules and regulations, or act in an inappropriate manner, during the year of my reign, I will relinquish my crown and forfeit my awarded \$1000 scholarship, and the Runner-up will assume the title and duties of Miss Colusa County.

Signature of Contestant

Signature of Parent/Guardian

Date

Date

QUESTIONNAIRE

Please submit a recent school photo along with your application

First Name _____

Last Name _____

Date of Birth _____

Length of residence in Colusa County _____

Father's Name _____

Mother's Name _____

If employed, where/for whom _____

Why do you want to run for Miss Colusa County _____

Have you ever competed in any type of pageant? Yes / No

If Yes, when and where _____

What are your plans for the future _____

Any other information concerning your ambitions or plans _____

Is there anything that will keep you from fully participating in this program? (i.e. work schedule, sports, etc.) _____

JUDGING IS AS FOLLOWS:

A. Personal Interview - Personality and Communications Skills 40 points

(putting emphasis on maturity, individuality,
personal standards, and future goals)

B. On-Stage Speech Presentation 35 points

C. Academic Achievements, Extra Curricular Activities, &
Community Involvement 30 points

D. On Stage Poise, Personality, & Personal Confidence 20 points

E. Commitment to program (attendance, attitude, interaction
with Contestants/Directors/volunteers, etc.) 15 points

140 total
points possible



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MEDIA CONSENT, RELEASE, AND WAIVER
2026 Colusa County Fair Pageants

I hereby give consent to **44th DAA/Colusa County Fair** (the “organization”) in my child’s participation in/for interviews, photographs, videotaping, or otherwise digitally recorded and use images and/or sound recordings of myself or my child or children (if applicable) to use in any public media, including radio, television, internet, social media, print or in any of the organization’s or its partners’ publications, productions, or posts. I understand that the intended use of such images and information is solely for the purpose of advertising, marketing, fundraising and/or the promotional and public awareness purposes for the organization. I hereby waive any rights or interest in the images or recordings, as contemplated in this release. I acknowledge that this consent to use images and/or recordings is being made solely for the benefit of the organization and comes without any expectation of monetary compensation or other benefit to me. To the extent that any benefit accrues or might accrue to the organization from the use of images or information, I hereby and forever waive any interest in or claim to such benefits.

I hereby release and forever discharge the organization (including without limitation all corporate affiliates and officers, directors, trustees, donors, employees, agents and volunteers) from any and all claims, liability, actions, suits, demands, costs, expenses or indebtedness arising out of, related to, or in any way connected with the use of images and materials described herein, and I hereby waive all rights and interest in and to such information and materials.

I further acknowledge that there is no guarantee that any or all of the participants’ images or recordings will be used in any released media.

I have been informed that this authorization is voluntary and is subject to revocation at any time, except to the extent that action has been taken in reliance thereon, by notifying the organization in writing at:

Name of Adult (Parent or Legal Guardian if applicable) (please print)

Name of Child/Children (if applicable) (please print)

Signature of Adult (Parent or Legal Guardian)

Date

Phone Number



44th DISTRICT AGRICULTURAL ASSOCIATION

COLUSA COUNTY FAIR

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CREDIT CARD AUTHORIZATION FORM

CONTESTANT NAME: _____

Event Name: 2026 MISS COLUSA COUNTY PAGEANT

Amount to be Charged: \$ _____

Sponsor Name: _____

Contact Name (Parent or Legal Guardian): _____

Contact Phone #: _____

Contact Email: _____

CREDIT CARD HOLDER'S INFORMATION

VISA OR MASTER CARD ONLY

Credit Card Number: _____

Exp. Date: _____ CVV #: _____

Billing Zip code: _____

Card Holder Name:

Card holder Billing Address:

PLEASE RETURN FORM VIA MAIL OR EMAIL TO:

ATTN: ARACELI PLAZA

1303 10TH STREET COLUSA, CA 95932

E-MAIL: ARACELI@COLUSACOUNTYFAIR.COM

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