THE 2024 WALTON COUNTY & DEFUNIAK SPRINGS PAGEANTS

February 24, 2024

Sponsored by
Walton High School
Anchor Club & Drama Club



The Walton High School Anchor Club & Drama Club present the 2024 Walton County & DeFuniak Springs Pageants in a special double pageant event at the Walton High School Auditorium in DeFuniak Springs, Florida on February 24, 2024. This pageant is an official preliminary to the National Peanut Festival Pageants.

AFTERNOON PAGEANT INFORMATION

Junior Miss Walton County—Ages 10, 11, & 12

Contestants must be a resident of or attend school in Walton County.

Junior Miss DeFuniak Springs—Ages 10, 11, & 12

Contestants must be a resident of or attend school in DeFuniak Springs.

Junior Miss Contestants will compete in Stage Presence competitions. For Stage Presence, wear an age appropriate long pageant dress.

Young Miss Walton County—Ages 7, 8, & 9

Contestants must be a resident of or attend school in Walton County.

Young Miss DeFuniak Springs—Ages 7, 8, & 9

Contestants must be a resident of or attend school in DeFuniak Springs.

Young Miss Contestants will compete in Stage Presence & Final Question competitions. For Stage Presence, wear an age appropriate short or long pageant dress.

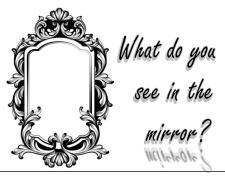
Future Little Miss Walton County—Pre-K & Kindergarten

Contestants must be a resident of or attend school in Walton County.

Future Little Miss DeFuniak Springs—Pre-K & Kindergarten

Contestants must be a resident of or attend school in DeFuniak Springs.

Future Little Miss contestants will compete in Stage Presence. For Stage Presence, wear an age appropriate short or long pageant dress.



EVENING PAGEANT INFORMATION

Miss Walton County-Ages 16-19 by October 19, 2024

Contestants must be a resident of or attend school in Walton County.

Miss DeFuniak Springs—Ages 16-19 by October 19, 2024

Contestants must be a resident of or attend school in DeFuniak Springs.

Miss contestants will compete in Interview, Written Communication, Verbal Communication, Stage Presence, and Final Question competitions. Stage Presence requires an appropriate evening gown. For interview and verbal communication, wear a pantsuit, jumpsuit, or dress of your choosing. For the opening number, contestants need to wear a pair of skinny/straight dark indigo jeans (no holes) that fit tight around the ankle and a pair of black high heels as well as a white blouse with clear rhinestone jewelry (e.g. necklace, earrings, belt, and/or bracelets).

Teen Miss Walton County—Ages 13, 14, & 15

Contestants must be a resident of or attend school in Walton County.

Teen Miss DeFuniak Springs—Ages 13, 14, & 15

Contestants must be a resident of or attend school in DeFuniak Springs.

Teen Miss contestants will compete in Interview, Stage Presence, and Final Question competitions. Stage Presence requires an appropriate evening gown. For interview, wear a pantsuit, jumpsuit or dress of your choosing. For the opening number, contestants need to wear a pair of skinny/straight dark indigo jeans (no holes) that fit tight around the ankle and a pair of black high heels as well as a white blouse with clear rhinestone jewelry (e.g. necklace, earrings, belt, and/or bracelets).

Little Miss Walton County—All First Graders

Contestants must be a resident of or attend school in Walton County.

Little Miss DeFuniak Springs—All First Graders

Contestants must be a *resident of or attend school* in *DeFuniak Springs*. Little Miss contestants will compete in Interview, Stage Presence, and Final Question competitions. For interview, wear a Sunday dress. Stage Presence requires an appropriate short or long pageant dress. **No Heirlooms. No make up allowed.**

NOTE: A minimum of 3 qualified contestants must participate in each of the NPF preliminaries in order to advance to the NPF pageants. Miss & Little Miss winners will be required to compete in the NPF pageants.

ENTRY FEES

- \$50.00 Double Pageant Package (includes both pageants and 1 photo free photogenic
- ♦ \$40.00 Entry Fee For Individual Pageant For All Ages
- ♦ \$10.00 Optional Photogenic (1 Photo)
- ♦ \$20.00 Optional Photogenic (2 Photos)
- ♦ \$25.00 Whole Contestant Good Luck Page
- ♦ \$15.00 Half Contestant Good Luck Page

All entry fees and registration form are due by **February 1**. Please make all checks or money orders payable to **Walton High School**.

Entry fees can be mailed to:

Anna Cramer c/o Walton High School 449 Walton Road DeFuniak Springs, Florida 32433

NOTE: Forms may only be returned to **Walton High School**. Do not send to other schools. **DO NOT drop off at other area schools.**

HOW TO CONTACT PAGEANT STAFF

Website: whspageants.weebly.com

(no www's in front of web address)

Check us out on Facebook.

Just search for Miss Walton County and Miss DeFuniak Springs Pageants and like our pages to receive updates.

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Regina Uhland Cell: 850-419-1827

PRIZES

All Winners

Crown, Banner, & Trophy

All Runners-Up, Photogenic Winners, & Viewer's
Choice Winners
All Receive A Trophy

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

All rehearsals will be held at the Walton High School Auditorium in DeFuniak Springs, Florida. All rehearsals are mandatory unless otherwise excused by pageant staff. Contact us about conflicts.

Thursday, February 1

Entry Fee, Registration Form, and Good Luck Page Designs Due

Tuesday, February 13

Future Little Miss Orientation, Photo Shoot, & Practice 5:30 p.m.—6:30 p.m.

Young Miss Orientation, Photo Shoot, & Practice 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m.

Junior Miss Orientation, Photo Shoot, & Practice 7:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

Thursday, February 15

Little Miss Orientation, Photo Shoot, & Practice 6:00 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

Miss Written Communication 6:15 p.m.-7:00 p.m.

Miss & Teen Miss Orientation, Photo Shoot, & Practice 7:00 p.m.-9:30 p.m.

Tuesday, February 20

Future Little Miss Rehearsal 5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m. Young Miss Rehearsal 6:30 p.m.-7:30 p.m. Junior Miss Rehearsal 7:30 p.m.-8:30 p.m.

Wednesday, February 21

Little Miss Rehearsal 5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m. Miss & Teen Miss Production Rehearsal 6:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m.

Thursday, February 22

Little Miss Rehearsal 5:30 p.m.-6:30 p.m. Miss & Teen Miss Production Rehearsal 6:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m.

Saturday, February 24

Afternoon Session

Future Little, Young Miss, and Junior Miss Arrival Time 12:00 p.m.

Pageant Begins at 1:00 p.m.

Evening Session

Miss, Teen Miss, & Little Miss
Arrival Time—Scheduled Interview Time.
Miss & Teen Miss Production Rehearsal-After Interviews
Pageant Begins at 7:00 p.m.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Pageant Forms

The registration brochure needed to enter the pageant can be downloaded from the following website:

http://whspageants.weebly.com

Miss, Teen Miss, and Little Miss biography forms can be found here as well. One copy of the biography form must be provided. These forms are due on Wednesday, February 21, at rehearsal.

Optional Photogenic Competition

Contestants may enter the optional photogenic competition. For photogenic enter, 1 photograph for \$10.00 or 2 photographs for \$20.00. Photos can be no larger than an 8 x 10 and must be in a protective covering. All photogenic pictures are due at the last rehearsal of the age group (Miss, Teen, and Little Miss on February 22. Future Little, Young, and Junior Miss on February 20). Photos will be returned at the end of the pageant. Pick them up outside the dressing rooms.

Photographs for Program Book

All contestants *MUST ATTEND* their orientation at their age groups' scheduled time. All pictures for the program book will be taken at each age group's orientation. Please wear a Sunday dress and have hair & make up done to be ready for your picture.

No other photographs will be used.

Pageant Competitions

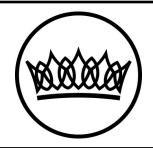
Personal Interview (Miss, Little, & Teen Miss only)-Contestants will speak with the judges individually.

Written Communication (Miss only)-A timed extemporaneous essay.

Stage Presence (Miss, Little, Teen, Junior, Young, and Future Little Miss)-A pageant dress is required. Contestants will be judged on poise & personality. Also, contestants will answer a question based on the information from their bio sheet.

Verbal Communication (Miss only)-Contestants will answer a question provided by the judges. This will be done in opening number attire.

Final Question (Miss, Teen, Little, Junior, and Young)-A question selected by the judges and asked to each contestant in the age group.



2023 ROYALTY

Miss Walton County Raleigh Reed
Little Miss Walton County Gracie Dangerfield
Teen Miss Walton County Riley Jane Phipps
Junior Miss Walton County Lillian Garrard
Young Miss Walton County Madison Davis
Future Little Miss Walton County McKensie Adams

Miss DeFuniak Springs Rylee Sweat
Little Miss DeFuniak Springs Ella Hicks
Teen Miss DeFuniak Springs Calie Brackin
Junior Miss DeFuniak Springs Kaydee Warren
Young Miss DeFuniak Springs Avery Nowling
Future Little Miss DeFuniak Springs Lakyn Infinger

DOUBLE PAGEANT INFORMATION

- All contestants who attend school in or have a De-Funiak Springs address qualify for the double pageant for the following categories: Miss, Teen Miss, Little Miss, Junior Miss, Young Miss, and Future Little Miss.
- 2. Contestants may still choose to enter only one of the pageants. The double pageant package is optional.
- 3. Contestants cannot win the title for both categories. The DeFuniak Springs titles are awarded first.

CONTESTANT GOOD LUCK PAGES

Parents, friends, and family can buy a good luck page for their favorite contestant. The Whole Good Luck Page costs \$25.00, and the Half Good Luck Page costs \$15.00. These pages can feature personalized messages from friends and family. To purchase, just fill out the good luck page form and send in the money with your registration form. Your design must be sent electronically in jpeg format to **pertd@walton.k12.fl.us** by the pageant deadline of February 1.





Registration Form
Fill Out This Form As Completely As Possible, Return with Entry Fees.

Name:					
Parents:					
Address:		City:		State:	ZIP Code:
Birth Date:	Age:	_ Grade:	School:		
Phone Number:		_ Email Address	:		
Category: Please Circle	e One. Make Sur	e to Check Age Req	uirements.		
FUTURE LITTLE PreK & Kindergarten	YOUNG 7, 8, & 9	JUNIOR 10, 11, & 12	LITTLE All First Graders	TEEN 13, 14, & 15	MISS 16, 17, 18, & 19 by October 19, 2024
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