THE MISS CULTURE QUEEN PAGEANT 2017

The Miss Culture Queen Pageant provides the best opportunity for talented Nevisian beauties to show case their talent, be an ambassador for Nevis, achieve personal growth, gain exposure, win attractive prizes, make new friends and have lifetime memories.

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

The Miss Culture Queen Pageant is open to young ladies between the ages of 18 – 25 years. Applicants must be Nevisians either by birth or by decent or non-nationals who are resident in Nevis for a period of not less than twelve months before filling the Ms. Culture Queen Pageant application.

- Applicants must be single. For the purposes of the Pageant, single means that the Applicant is not presently married nor has never been married nor has lived or presently lives in a common law relationship. Further, the Applicant must not have any child or children whether biological or otherwise.

- Applicants must be of good character, have no criminal record and have never been convicted of a crime in any jurisdiction. Applicants are advised that if it is subsequently discovered that she has a criminal record in this or any other jurisdiction, this could result in automatic disqualification as well as legal proceedings being instituted against her in a Court of law.

- Former Ms. Culture Queen Contestants who did not place in any of the top three positions are eligible to re-apply provided they satisfy all the other requirements set out herein.

- Incomplete applications will not be considered.

- All application materials will be retained by the Nevis Culturama Committee and become the property of the Nevis Culturama Committee. Any expenses incurred during the application process are the sole responsibility of the applicant and not those of the Nevis Culturama Committee.

- An applicant is officially entered in the pageant once she receives written confirmation of entry from the Nevis Culturama Committee.

- The prospective Contestant must be able to meet all commitments and responsibilities as set forth by the Nevis Culturama Committee.

- Upon selection, the contestant must sign the Miss Culture Queen Pageant's Contract of Participation.
MISS CULTURE PAGEANT 2017
APPLICATION FORM

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

NAME: ___________________________  ___________________________
     (Surname)                                             (Given Names)

ADDRESS: ____________________________________________________

TEL. NO: ____________________________________________________
         (Home)                                         (Work)  (Cell)

EMAIL ADDRESS: ______________________________________________

DATE OF BIRTH: ______________________________________________
                (Day)                                         (Month)  (Year)

PERSONAL INFORMATION: ________________________________________
                        (Weight)                                   (Height)
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                        (Vital Statistics)

HOBBIES: ____________________________________________________
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OCCUPATION: ________________________________________________

PRESENT EMPLOYER/SCHOOL: ____________________________________________
                        (Name)

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                             (Telephone number)                        (Fax number)

EDUCATION:

Schools attended and years of attendance.

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Academic Achievements/Qualifications (State Examination Board and Grades obtained)

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Career Ambition ____________________________________________

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MEDICAL CONDITION:

Do you have any special medical condition(s) that the pageant organizers should be aware of?
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Do you have a history of allergies?  Yes ☐  No ☐

If yes, briefly state the foods/substances that you are allergic to.
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Give the name of a contact person in case of an emergency.

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(Name)  (Relationship)

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(Address)

Tel. Nos.: (H) _____________________ (W) ____________________ (C) ___________________

REFERENCES:

Give the names, addresses and contact numbers of two (2) references

1. ________________________________________________________________
   ___________________________  ___________________________  ___________________
   (Name)  (Address)  (Home Tel)  (Work Tel)  (Cell)
2. _____________________________________________________________________________
   (Name)

   _____________________________________________________________________________
   (Address)

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   (Home Tel)                             (Work Tel)                             (Cell)

**QUESTIONNAIRE**

Have you entered any pageants before?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No

If yes, please state the name of the pageant, the year entered and position you placed in the pageant

   Name of pageant(s):_____________________________________________________________

   Year(s) of pageant(s):__________________________________________________________

   Position(s) placed in pageant(s) ________________________________________________

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Do you possess any special performing talent?  Yes ☐  No ☐

If yes please state what this performing talent is _____________________________________

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What is an issue affecting women in Nevis? What have you done or intend to do to address this issue?

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Name a cause or association you would like to be associated with in your country or the Caribbean and give your reasons.

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What is your view/opinion of the MISS CULTURE QUEEN PAGEANT? Give suggestions for the improvement of future Miss Culture Pageants.

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Other than winning the Miss Culture Pageant, what do you hope to achieve by being crowned the Miss Culture 2017?

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I, the undersigned confirm that the information given is true and correct and that the final selection rests solely with the Nevis Culturama Committee. I also confirm that I am not bound by any other contract or pageant that will hinder my participation in the Miss Culture Queen Pageant. I agree that if selected, I will conform to the rules and regulations set out by the Nevis Culturama Committee and that any deviation will result in automatic disqualification.

Signature: ______________________  Date: __________________

Kindly return this application form to the Festivals’ Secretariat, Cotton Ginnery Mall, along with the following:

- Full-length swimsuit shot
- Head photo shot
- Birth Certificate
- Photo Identification (Upon submission of the application form to the Festivals Secretariat)

**DEADLINE: Friday March 31st, 2017**