



THE MS CULTURE QUEEN / SWIMWEAR PAGEANT 2018

The Miss Culture Queen Pageant provides an excellent opportunity for aspiring young ladies of the Federation to showcase their talent, serve as an ambassador for Nevis, achieve personal growth, gain exposure, win attractive prizes, make new friends and have lifetime memories.

Eligibility Requirements

All Applicants must be:

- Born female and between the ages of 18 – 25 years
- Citizens of St. Kitts and Nevis either by birth or by descent **OR** non-nationals who have been resident in the Federation for at least twelve months
- Of good character, with no criminal record or convictions in any jurisdiction. *Applicants are advised that if a criminal record is subsequently discovered, this will result in automatic disqualification as well as legal proceedings being instituted against her*
- Readily available to meet all commitments and responsibilities relating to the pageant

Ms. Culture **Queen Pageant** Applicants:

- Must be previously unmarried, meaning that the applicant is not nor has never been married; nor should she have been or currently be living in a common-law relationship
- Must not have any dependent children, whether biological or otherwise
- May not have placed in one of the top three positions of a previous Ms. Culture Queen Pageant

Application Process

- Along with the application form, applicants must also submit:
 - A copy of their birth certificate or photo ID
 - A headshot photo & full length swimsuit photo

Professional photos are not required. Photos are for review purposes only and will not be published.

- All application materials become the property of the Nevis Culturama Committee. Any related expenses incurred are the sole responsibility of the applicant, and not the Committee.
- Incomplete applications will not be considered.
- Successful applicants will be officially notified in writing by the Nevis Culturama Committee.
- Contestants are required to sign the pageant's Contract of Participation, and adhere to all rules and responsibilities related to the pageant.

Please return this application form to the **Culturama Secretariat** by **March 30, 2018**



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The Miss Culture Queen/Swimwear Application Form

Section 1 <i>Please use block capitals</i>		
Surname	First Name	Other Name/s
Address		
Home Phone:	Work Phone:	Cell Phone:
Email:		
Date of Birth: <i>(dd/mm/yy)</i>	Country of Birth:	

Section 2 <i>Please answer all questions by ticking the appropriate box</i>		
	YES	NO
Have you been a resident of the Federation for a period of 12 months?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Do you presently reside in the Federation of St. Kitts/Nevis?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have you previously entered a Culturama Pageant?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are you presently married?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have you previously been married?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have you ever given birth to a child?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have you ever been convicted of a criminal offence in any jurisdiction?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Have you been diagnosed with a serious medical condition?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Are you presently taking any prescription medication?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Please Indicate the Pageant you are applying for:		
Miss Culture Queen Pageant <input type="checkbox"/>	Miss Culture Swimwear Competition <input type="checkbox"/>	
What social media do you use?		
Facebook <input type="checkbox"/> Twitter <input type="checkbox"/> Instagram <input type="checkbox"/> Snapchat <input type="checkbox"/> Tumblr <input type="checkbox"/> Whatsapp <input type="checkbox"/> LinkedIn <input type="checkbox"/>		

Section 3	
Height (ft & in):	Weight (lbs):
Hobbies & Interests:	Performing/Creative Talents:

Education: <i>list schools attended starting with the most recent.</i>		<i>From</i>	<i>To</i>
1.			
2.			
3.			
Academic Qualifications:			
Career Aspiration:			
Current Occupation:			
Place of Employment:			
Current Working Hours:			
Emergency Contact Person:		Relationship:	
Work Phone:	Cell Phone:	Home Phone:	

Section 4
What pageants have you entered previously? List years, and positions placed
1.
2.
3.
Why do you want to enter this pageant?
Name one Nevisian you consider to be a role model, and say why you feel this way.
Which aspect of Nevisian culture has made the biggest impression on you? Why?
<i>To be completed by Ms. Culture QUEEN PAGEANT applicants only:</i>
In your own view, what is the purpose of the Miss Culture Queen Pageant?
How would you describe yourself?

I confirm that all information provided is accurate. I understand that the final selection of participants 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 Ms Culture 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: _____