

# WAYNE COUNTY 4-H TEEN / PRETEEN / JUNIOR CONTEST

## Rules and Responsibilities

Questions? Contact- Amy Fouche at 914-6771, [wc4hfairqueen@gmail.com](mailto:wc4hfairqueen@gmail.com) or [amyrfouche@gmail.com](mailto:amyrfouche@gmail.com)

### WAYNE COUNTY TEEN/PRETEEN/JUNIOR RULES

1. Each contestant must participate within their age group.
2. She must be an Indiana resident, a U.S. citizen and represent their home county. One of the contestant's parents or legal guardians must also be an Indiana resident. The only exception: the contestant may reside in an adjoining Indiana county in the majority of their activities are in the county in which they enter the contest.
3. No professional model is eligible (A professional model is one who earns a livelihood by modeling.) A contestant who has had training or schooling in the modeling field, has been paid on occasion for modeling or works for a fashion board is not considered a professional model.
4. Any contestant who has competed and won in their age division, cannot participate in that same age division. That participant must wait to participate in the next age group.
5. Teens/PreTeens/Juniors will participate in a private judging, on Saturday, June 15<sup>th</sup>. Time to be determined.
6. On Saturday evening, June 15<sup>th</sup>, the contest location is to be at Centerville High School.
7. Applications must be completed and sent to: **Amy Fouche, 5800 North Pitts Rd., Williamsburg, IN 47393.**
8. **An entry fee must accompany the application form, (see form for entry fee).** Please send entry fee by check or money order payable to: Wayne County 4-H Queen Committee
9. It's highly suggested that each contestant attends the following:
  - Orientation – May 19<sup>th</sup> from 2-4pm at TBD
  - Practice – June 5<sup>th</sup> from 6-8pm
  - Practice – June 6<sup>th</sup> from 6-8pm
  - Practice – June 12<sup>th</sup> from 6-8pm
  - Practice – June 13<sup>th</sup> from 6-8pm
  - Contest – June 15<sup>th</sup> from 8am – 2pm (tentative) and return from 6:30pm – 8:30pm (tentative)
  - Public Contest starts at 7pm, at Centerville High School
10. The judging on Saturday morning/afternoon, June 15<sup>th</sup> is private. The evening judging and crowning is open to the public.
11. No mother, relative or friend may be in the dressing room during any of the judging activities or the pageant.
12. Participant **MUST** currently be in 4-H.

## Judges and Awards

1. Two to Three judges will be named by the committee and their decision will be final.
2. One contestant will be selected to reign as the Teen, PreTeen and Junior Queen.
3. The public judging and crowning of the Queen will take place on Saturday, June 15<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 p.m., at Centerville High School. Admission is \$1.00 per person. Contestants will receive 2 free admissions.
4. Judging will be on the basis of overall impression, and personality.

The judging is divided into two divisions:

### Division I – PARTY OR CHURCH WEAR

#### **Attire: (Total 20 points)**

Posture and poise – 10 Points

Overall Impression – 10 Points

### Division II – INTERVIEW

**Each contestant will have three (3) minutes or less before the judges. She will answer impromptu questions asked by the judges. (Total 50 points)**

Ability to converse – 20 Points

Personality – 15 Points

Poise – 15 Points

### Duties of Wayne County 4-H Teen, PreTeen and Junior Queen

1. The Wayne County 4-H Teen/PreTeen/Junior Queen will reign during the 2024 4-H Fair and until a new Teen/PreTeen/Junior queen is selected the following year. She will take part in the fair activities, i.e., presenting awards to exhibit winners, fashion revue winner, etc. A schedule will be given to the Teen, PreTeen and Junior Queen the evening of the contest or soon thereafter.