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Miss Stansbury Scholarship Program Information

About the Program

The **Miss Stansbury Scholarship Program** is open to young women aged 14-20 (as of the Competition Date) who are Stansbury Service Agency residents. The competition is held in the summer of each year. The program process teaches young women valuable life skills such as public speaking, personal value development, community and world awareness, presentation skills, confidence, resiliency, interview skills, and poise. At the end of each annual competition, a new Miss Stansbury is crowned, along with 1st and 2nd Attendants.

Scholarships & Awards:

- Miss Stansbury, \$1,200
- 1st Attendant, \$600
- 2nd Attendant, \$300
- Miss Congeniality Award (Contestant vote)

Eligibility Requirements:

- Must live in or have primary residence within the Stansbury Service Agency
 - If attending college, must maintain primary residence in Stansbury
 - In the case of joint custody, at least one custodial parent must live in Stansbury
- Must be a young woman age 14-20 years old (as of the Competition Date)
- Has never been married
- Has never been convicted of any crime and has no pending criminal charges
- Must commit to adhering to the Miss Stansbury Code of Conduct and Dress Standards
- Must commit to participating in all Required Events and pledge to perform at least 60 hours of service, as approved by Program Directors

Scoring Breakdown

Private Interview	25%	Based on sample questions and Youth Inspiring Youth Essay
On-Stage Talent**	25%	Talent presentation or skills demonstration (1-2 minutes depending on number of participants)

Theme Essay*	15%	Topic: What does “Youth Inspiring Youth” mean to you and what would you do during your reign to put it into action?
On-stage Conversation	15%	On-stage questions
On-Stage Formalwear	10%	On-stage presence and poise demonstration in contestant’s choice of formalwear (formalwear must comply with Dress Code)
Overall Impression	10%	Judge’s overall impression throughout the competition

***Youth Inspiring Youth Essay**

The theme of the Miss Stansbury Scholarship Program is “Youth Inspiring Youth.” This one to three page double-spaced essay is the contestant’s opportunity to show how much she cares about Stansbury Park and how she can make a positive impact right here at home. Contestants should be specific and personal. They should write from their own perspective Here are some sample “prompt” questions, but contestants need not stick to these.

- What improvement does Stansbury Park need and what creative means would you use as Miss Stansbury to accomplish that improvement?
- What are you currently doing to improve your community and what impact is it having? How could becoming Miss Stansbury enlarge the impact?
- Why is the theme, “Youth Inspiring Youth” important to you and how would you use the Miss Stansbury platform to inspire those around you?

****On Stage Talent or Skills Demonstration**

- Time limit will be between 60 and 120 seconds, depending on the number of contestants. Program Directors will announce the time limit at the Orientation Meeting.
- Performances must be performed within stage limits with full-stage lighting (no special lighting requests).
- Video/Slideshows are permitted and backlights will be dimmed.
- Supporting Media:
 - Must be emailed to Program Directors at least two weeks before the Program Date (or by any other deadline set by Program Directors)
 - Title format must be: “Contestant Number_LastName_FirstName_Title” (e.g. 1_Doe_Jane_Singing in the Rain)
 - Music must be submitted in an mp3 format
 - Videos must be submitted in mp4 format
 - Vocal talent backing tracks must be instrumental only

Required Dates - 2024

Participants in the **Miss Stansbury Scholarship Program** must be in attendance at all of the following:

Orientation Meeting for Contestants & Parents (Application Due)

- Monday, July 8 @ 6:30 p.m. | Stansbury Clubhouse

Workshops–Mock Interviews, Essay Review, Etc

- Monday, July 15 @ 6:30 p.m. | Stansbury Clubhouse
- Monday, July 22 @ 6:30 p.m. | Stansbury Clubhouse **(Optional)**

Theme Essay Due

- Monday, July 22 @ 6:30 p.m. | Email to Program Directors

Dress Rehearsal

- TBD | Stansbury High School Auditorium

Competition Date

- Tuesday, August 3, All Day
- Stage Competition begins at 4:00 p.m. | Stansbury High School Auditorium

Royalty Appearances (Please do not compete if you cannot fulfill these obligations)

- *August 8-10 Stansbury Days, including parade and various events
- *September TBD Back to School Charity Event | Tooele High School
- **October 26 Stansbury Fall Festival | TBA
- *December 7 Santa Visit | Stansbury Clubhouse
- **January 1 @ 12 p.m. Ice Breaker | Stansbury Lake
- **March TBD Empower Women Event | Mountain West Medical Center
- **May 10 Mother's Day Event | Stansbury Clubhouse
- *May TBD Stansbury Lake Clean-Up Event | Stansbury Lake
- *June/July Miss Grantsville City & Miss Tooele City Pageants TBA | GHS & THS
- *July 4th Parades | Grantsville/Tooele
- *Up to 6 additional events arranged at least two weeks in advance by Program Directors (or Royalty and approved by Program Directors) to support the Youth Inspiring Youth Initiative
- *Miss Stansbury is required to complete at least 60 hours of total service; 1st & 2nd Attendants are required to complete at least 40 hours of total service. Service includes event appearances.

*Required event (all royalty)

**Flexible event requirement (at least one royal representative, preferably queen)

Dress Standards

As a representative of Stansbury Park, it is imperative that contestants and royalty present themselves in a manner that is modest and appropriate for the situation.

- No visible cleavage
- No visible undergarments
- No visible words, images or advertisements
- Skirts, dresses and shorts must be hemmed and fall at or below mid-thigh
- No distressed fabrics
- Formalwear may be backless, sheer, spaghetti straps, sleeveless or strapless
- Casualwear may be sleeveless
- Leggings and athletic wear are not permitted unless appropriate for the activity (e.g. 5k run)
- Hair color should appear natural
- Ear piercings should be minimal and dainty. Piercings within the mouth or on the face must be removed during official appearances.
- In general, dress mindfully and appropriately for each activity. (e.g. Don't wear a dress and heels to Lake Clean-Up Day)
- Prior to each event, Royalty will coordinate their attire and get approval from Program Directors.

Code Of Conduct

Contestants and members of Miss Stansbury Royalty are expected to conduct themselves in a proper and respectful manner at all times. The list below provides a few do's and don'ts. It is not exhaustive. If Program Directors are alerted to inappropriate behavior, the individual will be notified and consequences may include a warning, reduction of scholarship, dismissal from the Program and forfeiture of title.

- **Do** display good sportsmanship during the entire competition and Program. Show appreciation to meal hosts, volunteers, judges, etc and display professional behavior at all competition and royal events. Your positive attitude can help create a positive culture for everyone around you. Disrespectful or careless behavior will not be tolerated.
- **Do** be on time to everything. Lateness will not be tolerated or accommodated.
- **Do** keep Program Directors informed of updates to social media usernames and handles, including any new accounts opened.
- **Don't** speak negatively about a member of royalty (past or present), a candidate, or her family.
- **Don't** show affection with partners while participating in Program activities, especially while in crown/sash. This includes holding hands, kissing, hugging etc.
- **Don't** display disagreeable behaviors, such as temper tantrums, pouting, or back talk to Program Directors.
- **Don't** use unkind language, including but not limited to rude, ethnic, sexual jokes, cursing, or derogatory slang.
- **Don't** do anything illegal, including but not limited to:
 - Use, sell, store illegal drugs, cigarettes, vape products, e-cigarettes, alcohol
 - Civil unrest, which includes fighting, picketing, school suspension, shoplifting, theft
- **Don't** post inappropriate behavior online, including on social media. This includes photos or video of royalty with or without crown and sash doing anything illegal, unkind or inappropriate or with any products that would be illegal to use, including drugs, alcohol or tobacco.

Application Process

Prospective contestants must submit the following application materials to the Program Directors at or before the Orientation Meeting.

Application Materials

- Miss Stansbury Scholarship Program Application
- Biography Form & Optional Resume
- Headshot
 - High quality digital file for 8x10 printing (at least 3000x2400 pixels or approx 4MB)
 - Color
 - Head and shoulders only
 - Portrait Orientation
 - Simple background and modest attire (i.e. no other people/animals/props/etc.)