

## **Rules and Guidelines**

### **2018-2019 Johnny Appleseed Queen Contest**

1. Contestants must be female, at least 16 years of age and no more than 20 years of age by September 1, 2018. Contestants must be a current resident of Columbiana County.
2. Must never have been married and remain unmarried throughout her reign as Queen or member of Court.
3. May not have children or become pregnant during reign.
4. All social network communications and pictures should be done in good taste. If questioning whether something is appropriate or not – DO NOT POST IT.
5. The Queen, 1<sup>st</sup> Attendant, and 2<sup>nd</sup> Attendant must have a good working knowledge of the Johnny Appleseed Festival and be prepared to represent the JAF at a minimum of six (6) other OFEA festivals and six (6) events throughout the year either collectively or individually.
6. The Queen, 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Attendants will take part in publicity, ride in the festival parades, and generally take part in such activities as the committee shall designate.
7. 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Attendants, respectively, will be eligible to replace the Queen in the event she is unable to fulfill her obligations.
8. When traveling to other festivals the Queen or Royal Court must be accompanied by a chaperone, preferable her parents, guardians, or an adult member of her family. Chaperones other than the above mentioned, must be approved by the chairman. Boyfriends are not considered proper chaperones and should not be attending other festivals with the Queen or Attendants. Cell phone usage at festivals should be for emergency purposes only.
9. A \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded to the Queen. The 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Attendants will receive a \$500 scholarship. All awards will be distributed upon successful completion of duties as Johnny Appleseed Festival Queen or member of the Royal Court at the end of their reign.
10. It is the responsibility of the Queen to notify the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> Attendants of the festivals they are invited to and whether the Queen will attend. Anyone attending a festival must notify the chairman and have the proper paperwork submitted.
11. Reasons for dismissal: Pregnancy, use of drugs or alcohol, any felony or misdemeanor charges brought against you during your reign, any violation of the above rules, or anything that would cause embarrassment to the Johnny Appleseed Festival committee.
12. Return completed application to the Lisbon Chamber of Commerce, 120 N. Market St., Lisbon, Ohio 44432 by September 7th, 2018.

## APPLICATION FOR JOHNNY APPLESEED FESTIVAL QUEEN

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

School Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level: \_\_\_\_\_

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Please complete a short essay about yourself and why you would like to be JAF Queen.

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Name of Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ has our permission to enter and participate in this contest.  
We have **READ THE RULES AND GUIDELINES**, fully understand and agree to support our daughter/guardian should she be selected JAF Queen or Attendant.

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Queens Interviews will be held Sunday, September 9th, 2018, starting at 12:00 PM, at the Lisbon Chamber office. \*There are no exceptions, as some Ohio Festivals & Events Assoc. affiliated judges will be brought in for judging.

Please return to: Lisbon Area Chamber of Commerce, 120 N. Market St., Lisbon, OH 44432

Phone: (330) 424-1803 Fax: (330) 424-9003