



Welcome to the World of the National Showgirl Pageant System!

The National Showgirl Pageant System (NSG) is a family of entertainers, promoters, and fans spanning the United States, Canada, and Puerto Rico. Our goal is to be one of North America's premier pageants for the fabulous world of "high" drag and female impersonation and male entertainment. We desire to have you join us as we continue to offer opportunities, fairness, high quality and an amazing concept that is unique in today's competitive world of pageantry.

By becoming a promoter with the NSG System, you will have the opportunity to experience the rewarding aspects of presenting quality competition in your state or region. And, best of all, bring a fresh breath of pageantry to your area. Our categories incorporate a unique approach to professional competition in the pageant community, as well as create a platform for our national, state, and regional titleholders to make a difference in their communities.

As we attempt to grow and provide opportunities for new and experienced promoters, we have implemented a simple franchise agreement for each state and regional preliminary. More information on the agreement, including divisions, competition categories and fees associated with the pageant can be found in this packet.

We would like to work with you to suggest an affordable and profitable evening of professional pageantry, and our national representatives are here to help guide novice and experienced promoters to incorporate the best practices, new ideas and to find resources to produce the best quality, and successful pageant possible.

Thank you for your interest in National Showgirl Pageantry and your support and love for the ART of Drag/Female Impersonation and Male



Entertainment. We hope to have you join us as a promoter within this system and become a member of the National Showgirl Pageant Family.

*National Showgirl Pageantry Systems is a registered trademark with the United States Trademark and Patent Office (#86115801).

Who We Are

NATIONAL REPRESENTATIVES

Amanda D' Rhod, National Showgirl
Jelitza Fearce, National Showgirl at Large
Christopher Iman, National Showman
Dena Cass, National Showgirl Supreme
Seymour Chilton, National Showman At Large

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Scott Stebane, President/ CEO
Jazmine Roberts, Vice President/ Owner
Brian Smith, Administrator to the board/ Assistant to the National Titleholders
Nova Starr, Contestant Mentor/ Owner
Jack Neilsen, Head Judge/ Board Member
Jacob Lane, National Jeweler (Fierce Jewels)
Neely O'Hara, Board Owner



Competition Divisions and Categories

Through National Showgirl Pageantry, we offer Five divisions of competition: National Showgirl, National Showgirl at Large, National Showgirl Supreme, National Showman and National Showman At Large

The competition categories are: Personal Interview, Evening Gown (Showgirl and Showgirl at Large), Glitz Formal Wear (Showman), Talent, and Showgirl/Showman.

Descriptions for each competition category:

Personal Interview, Business Casual - (25 points total per judge)

The judging panel will interview each contestant individually to assess some insight on the character, intellect, and professionalism of each contestant. During the interview, the judges evaluate each contestant's basic qualities, such as intelligence, ability to communicate, attitude, composure, etc. The judges may also gather information about a contestant's professional or personal life. During this interview contestants will be required to present a platform for their chosen National Cause. The suggested attire for the interview is business casual day wear, male or female; however, each contestant should select clothing in which they feel at ease. For example, the contestant's attire may be fashion forward, and not strict to a 3-piece suit. Fashionable jeans, a suitable blazer, shoes and shirt are acceptable. Our National Showgirl, Showgirl at Large and Showman will not only be entertainers but will also serve as administrators, spokespeople, and promoters of our system. Contestants will be asked a variety of questions ranging from occupation, current events, social issues, community



involvement and leadership. Although the interview is considered relaxed all contestants are asked to use their better judgment.

This category is divided into three sub-categories:

- Overall Appearance (0-3 points)
- Personality (0-7 points)
- Communication and Answer Content (0-15 points)

Showgirl / Showman – (40 points total per judge)

This category is the signature for National Showgirl Pageantry. Contestants are required to present their own take on the look of a Showgirl/Showman. This can be anything from a Las Vegas Showgirl, a Carnival King or Queen from Rio De Janeiro, or any of the hundreds of examples of a showgirl/showman in the world. This is the true GLITZ and GLAM of the entire pageant, and contestants are encouraged to let their imaginations run wild! There is no limit to color, size (unless the host venue has restrictions) or style of the showgirl costume. Each contestants Showgirl/Showman costume MUST include: A headdress OR backpack piece, proper legal coverage of the breast area and buttocks, and FEATHERS! Any types of feathers are acceptable. The more incredible your presentation is, the better. RHINESTONES – BEADS – FEATHERS – This is your chance to be a showstopper, have fun, and SMILE!

This category is divided into 3 sub categories:

- Presentation & Showmanship – Modeling and presentation (0-5 points)
- WOW FACTOR – Overall impression and impact (0-20 points)
- Creativity & Design – Distinct design, use of color, feathers and materials (0-15 points)
 - Over the Top- This is a ranked Category and is used on Finals Night at Nationals.

*At Nationals, music will be provided for both Showgirl/Showgirl At large and Showman category on prelim night and on the final night.



Evening Gown/Glitz Formal Wear- (10 points total per judge)

Evening Gown/Glitz Formal Wear will be the most elegant outfit you will wear during the pageant. It should complement your figure/physique and be a statement of your style and taste. The garment and accessories should be in perfect condition. No loose strings should be visible anywhere on the garment. (This includes sleeves, neckline, hem, along the zipper & buttons, or at any seam). There shouldn't be any tares in any part of the fabric. The garment should be stain free and wrinkle free. The hem of a gown should be even, unless the style of the gown is an uneven bottom. Gowns should be lined or have a slip underneath. The judges should not be able to see through any part of the gown unless that is the style of the gown. The gown length should be either to the top of the toe part of the shoe or approximately 1/2~1 inch above the floor. Sleeves should be no shorter than the wrist, and no longer than an inch below the wrist unless the design of the gown/suit sleeve is longer. Shoes should match the outfit and complement it. Shoes should not be scuffed, worn at the toe or heels, and not seen to bend under the weight of the contestant. Modeling should be a slow easy pace and does not have to touch the three points that form a triangle. Hair should be appropriate and go along with the style of the gown/suit. Hair should not be unkept and should not be frizzy unless style warrants. We emphasize the suitability of your gown/suit. Can you move around in it comfortably? Can you model it with ease? All these things play a factor in your score. – Each contestant will be given a description card to be read during modeling

For our Showman specifically, this is your time to take us back to a time when Showmen ruled the stage, with exuberance and style. We welcome beads, rhinestones, feathers and furs! Your suit should fit for your body type and your accessories should be chosen wisely. And remember - don't be afraid to sparkle!



This category is divided into two sub-categories:

- Appearance & Modeling (0-7 points)
- Hair & Makeup (0-3 points)

Talent - (25 points total per judge)

Talent may be of any form of entertainment as long as it does not create any danger to the contestants, the staff, or audience members. The time limit for all talent presentations is five (5) minutes with (1) minutes allotted for set-up/ (1) minutes take down of props. Music must be recorded on a CD-R or Flash drive and must be labeled Track One. The CD must be legibly marked with the contestant name. No fire, water, nudity, pyrotechnics, glitter, animals are allowed. Any contestant exceeding their two (1) minute set up (1) minute tear down time will have administrative points deducted. Any contestant over their five (5) minute talent time will be deducted 10 administration points and the DJ will be cut off the track after 5 minutes.

This category is divided into 3 sub-categories:

- Hair & Makeup (0-3 points)
- Showmanship, Stage Presence and Quality of Presentation (0-7 points)
- Total Entertainment Value (0-15 points)

Administrative Points

Any contestant who loses administrative points will have points deducted as follows:



State, Regional Pageant

First offense 05 Points

Second offense 10 Points

Third offense 20 Points

Nationals

First offense 10
Points

Second offense 20
Points

Third offense 40 Points

Any contestant who has more than 3 offenses will have administrative points deducted at a rate of two times the previous deduction. The deduction of Administrative points can ONLY be done by the current reigning at State,

Regional and National Preliminaries, and as such is at the sole discretion of the Current Reigning. The deductions of Administrative points at NSG

Nationals can ONLY be done by the board of NSG, and as such is at the sole discretion of the board. ALL decisions about Administrative Points are FINAL once the scores have been finalized.

Preliminary Franchise Fees and Costs

FRANCHISE FEES

Each preliminary in each division has a yearly franchise fee of \$150.00. This fee is due to the national office before any preliminary pageant will be set on the official national calendar. Once the franchise fee has been paid and an official date set on the national calendar, you may begin advertising your event.



After your preliminary pageant, a fee of \$100.00 per contestant qualified (winner and first alternate) for nationals is due within 45 days of the national pageant. Each promoter has the right to qualify the promoter's choice, which is normally the second alternate if you have one at no additional cost. Each franchise preliminary is required to send both winner and first alternate contestants to nationals, unless there was not a first alternate at the preliminary pageant.

If you choose to do the Package Deal when your contract is received I will have the crown, medallion, sashes, and such sent to you approximately 1 month prior to your preliminary date.

CROWNS/SASHES/MEDALS

Promoters **MUST** purchase the official preliminary crowns/medallions from

National Showgirl Pageantry vendors

All Crowns and Sashes must be ordered

30 days before your prelim date, to guarantee delivery. The cost of the crown is \$170.00 plus shipping and the medallion is \$160.00, plus shipping and handling.

Official City and State Sashes are also ordered through Drag Depot are \$65.00 plus shipping.

Fierce Jewels, The Official Jeweler of National Showgirl Pageantry has designed exceptional preliminary crowns and medals for the winners of your Showgirl and Showman prelim. You may contact them directly for the OFFICIAL Crowns and Medals at 801-548-2145.

Payment Option for Divisions



For All Showgirl Divisions (Showgirl, At- Large, Supreme)

There is a payment option of \$475.00 per Division and this price will include your Franchise Fee, Crown, Sash, and Entry fee for the title holder to Nationals.

The Break down is

\$150.00 Due on contract signing

\$225.00 Due 45 days prior to your preliminary date

100.00 Due 45 days prior to National Pageant

- There is still a \$100.00 Fee for your first alternate that is not included in the break down.

For the Showman Divisions (Showman, and At-Large)

The payment option that is available is \$435.00 per Division and the price includes the Franchise fee, medallion, sash, and entry fee for the title holder to nationals.

- This does not include the \$100.00 fee for the 1st Alternate entry into nationals.

The breakdown is as follows

\$150.00 Due when the contract is signed

\$175.00 Due 45 days prior to Preliminary Date

\$110.00 Due 45 days prior to National Pageant

***** There will be a 75.00 late fee added to all transactions if the fees are not paid in the time allotted *****



National Titleholders

It is mandatory to have the reigning NGS titleholder for that division at the final night of all preliminary contests representing their division of competition. The fee for the national titleholder of each division is \$200.00 cash, to be paid on the preliminary night, one-night hotel accommodations and round-trip travel expenses. Travel arrangements are to be made with the titleholders directly and must be made at least 30 days in advance of the preliminary date and forwarded to the main office or the preliminary event may be postponed or canceled.

In the event the current reigning national titleholder is at an official NSG event, then the promoter(s) is responsible for the airfare from that said event to their establishment/event, and then return flight to the current reigning national titleholder home base. If the current reigning national titleholder wishes to be flown from another said location, the national office will generate a reasonable airfare voucher from the current reigning home base to establish a fee that must be paid by the promoter and the current reigning must pay the difference from new travel location, and/or the promoter can deduct the difference from the current reigning performance fees.

Break Down of Costs

Cost for Showgirl Divisions **Individual**	\$150.00
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*Cost if Done with package (Showgirl Divisions)	\$475.00
Crown	\$170.00 plus shipping
Sash	\$65.00 plus Shipping
Showman Divisions Individual	\$150.00
Showman Divisions as Package	\$435.00
Medallion	\$160.00 plus shipping
Sash	\$65.00 plus shipping
Title holder fee	\$200.00 per title holder
Air Fare/ Travel	Varies but not to exceed \$500.00 per title holder
Hotel Cost for Title holder for one night or how ever long they are there	Varies and again not to exceed \$500.00

The packages again include a broke down payment arrangement along with the franchise fee, crown, sash and title holder's entry fee to nationals.

**Payments are to be made via PayPal to ss68boi@aol.com
Do Not Forget there is a \$75.00 Late fee that will be added if you do not make payments on time with the scheduled time frame.**

Contestant Rules and Regulations



This is included so promoters know the rules and regulations for their contestants

1. Contestants must have reached the age of 21, no later than the first day of the NSG finals and must show proof of age. Proof includes a valid Government driver's license, government identification card, or valid passport.
2. Contestants must not have warrants, or other legal violations that will retain them from the duties of the title they represent. (Exemptions to this rule can be issued by the NSG Board and CEO)
3. All contestants qualified for National Showgirl At-Large/ Showman At Large, must be 225 (two hundred and twenty-five) pounds or more by the registration day of nationals. And may be required to submit to a scale weighing, without shoes, handbags or other articles of unnecessary clothing.
4. Any contestant who is caught in the act of stealing, in possession of illegal drugs, or acting in a manner demeaning to any NSG Pageant official will be immediately disqualified and removed from the host event
5. All contestants are required to appear and participate in the opening production and parade of contestants. The parade is not a scored category of competition. Presentation for Showgirl is Purple, Showgirl At Large is Gold, and Showman is a combination of Gold and Purple.

Costuming and clothing is at the discretion of each contestant.

How-ever it must comply to all federal, state, and city regulations.

Again, this is not a scored Category this is just a presentation of yourself.

6. Contestants can change their talent package from preliminary night to final night, of state, regional or national competition. During Nationals only one costume is allowed Showgirl costumes cannot be changed only enhanced. Meaning the costume from preliminary night must stay the same and the headdress and backpiece may be updated



- and added to. Showgirl is judged in two parts on prelim night, these are being presentation and showmanship, and creativity and design. Those categories are judged and carried over to finals night. The WoW factor subcategory is only judged on Finals night along with the Over the top ranking and will be added to the potential 20 points that can be earned from preliminary night. Music for will be provided.
7. There will be no painting or building of props and costumes inside any NSG event venue.
 8. All contestants are required to read and complete the application, sign a release form, a code of ethics form, and a pre-contract.
 9. In the event of a tie, the pageant placement(s) will be determined by the following category winners: Showgirl, Interview, Talent, Gown.
 10. Upon coronation, the newly crowned National Showgirl, National Showgirl At-Large and National Showman National Showman At Large and National Showgirl Supreme must read and sign their contract, which must be approved by the Board of Directors, before acting or officiating on behalf of National Showgirl Pageantry System.
 11. The reigning National Showgirl, National Showgirl At-Large National Showman National Showman At Large and National Showgirl Supreme are to officiate in the capacity of current reigning at State, Regional, and the National Pageants only.
 12. In the event you are asked to leave a pageant or disqualified by breaking a rule you will be barred from State, Regional, and National Finals for a period to be decided by the board of NSG.
 13. Absolutely no fire/pyrotechnics, water, glitter, or live animals are allowed in any portion of any State, Regional, National prelims, or finals.
 14. All entry forms and information sheets must be typed, legibly written or enter online and completed in full.
 16. All dancers, assistants, etc., must have tickets for each night or weekly passes for the pageant that is paid at registration. Any lost passes must be repurchased at full daily value



17. All contestants must sign a release statement that holds the promoter, host club/venue, and/or NSG harmless in all accidents that may occur during the pageant.
18. Contestants must wear their official contestant badge at all NSG events.
19. National Showgirl Pageantry reserves the right to make any other decisions concerning any official matter not covered in the rules and regulations.

***NATIONAL SHOWGIRL PAGEANTRY DOES NOT DISCRIMINATE AGAINST CONTESTANTS WHO ARE TAKING HORMONES OR HAVE HAD COSMETIC BODY/FACE WORK.**

Franchise Agreement

2018 - 2019 NATIONAL SHOWGIRL PAGEANTRY
PRELIMINARY INARY FRANCHISE AGREEMENT

Part 1

THIS AGREEMENT made and entered into this date

_____ between NATIONAL SHOWGIRL



PAGEANTRY, Presented by Scott Stebane. Here in after referred to as, party of the first, and _____, party of the second, here in after referred to as the promoter.

AGREEMENT is as follows:

1. National Showgirl Pageantry is the sole owner of the franchised contest, but the promoter is the lease of, and is responsible for all financial liabilities against his or her leased franchise.
2. The promoter is also the beneficiary to all profits established from his or her own leased contract franchise after expenses of prize moneys and registration fees paid to the national office and other expenses are paid.
3. National Showgirl Pageantry is the co-producer of all franchised contest preliminaries on an administrative level and will at its option, have a representative at each state, regional and national preliminary. The representative for National Showgirl Pageantry will have all travel expenses paid by National Showgirl Pageantry and not by the promoter.
4. This franchise is non-transferable without the written consent of Scott Stebane, Owner of National Showgirl Pageantry. This agreement is renewable on a bi yearly basis.
5. This franchise will extend for a period not to exceed two years and will end on the final night of the National Showgirl finals on the second year of this agreement. Renewal must be made within a 60-day period of its expiration.
6. For each leased preliminary contest division, the winner and first runner up are required to attend the national competition. (2 Contestants) If these contestants are unable to attend the finals, the

promoter has the right to appoint other representatives according to numerical placement within their preliminary. The promoter is responsible for contestant entry fees (if applicable) from the respective based preliminaries. (\$100.00 each contestant.) Payable to the national system 45 days before the yearly national contest.



7. The promoter will be required to use its own application and must use the rules and regulations of The National Showgirl Pageantry system. The promoter agrees to abide by these rules and regulations and bi-laws governing the preliminary pageant.
8. If at any time during the franchised 2 years, if the actions of the promoter are determined to be damaging to either the purchased franchise, National Showgirl Pageantry; If the promoter fails to follow the rules and regulations for the preliminary promoters; National Showgirl Pageantry will have the right to cancel all operations with the promoter and transfer the preliminary to another party after a 15 day waiting period with no refund of any fees paid by the promoter to National Showgirl Pageantry.
9. Franchises are allowed for city, state, regional and national contest only.
10. All official communications with National Showgirl Pageantry will be handled through the national office representative Brian Smith, and if at that time no response is received then the secondary option is to reach out to the National Title Holders.
11. The reigning National Showgirl / Showman titleholders (depending on the preliminary contest) are to perform at each state or regional preliminary. The fee for this performance is \$200.00 the night of crowning and \$100.00 (min) each additional night, hotel accommodations, and transportation. All information and bookings for the titleholder are handled exclusively through National Showgirl Pageantry. Preliminary owners may contact the current reigning national title holders with comments for their preliminary and requests for travel or other arrangements AFTER official dates have been set on the national calendar. And preliminaries are made official.
12. If the reigning national titleholder lives in any state a preliminary is held, or within 2.5 hours driving distance of the host venue of a preliminary. The promoter and titleholder may work out an alternative form of transportation, However the promoter of the preliminary is still responsible for transportation requirements.



13. All travel arrangements for NSG Title holders must be made and booked with confirmation 30 days before the date of all preliminaries. Confirmation of travel and hotel accommodations must be submitted to the title holder via email and the national office.



2018 – 2019 NATIONAL SHOWGIRL PAGEANTRY PRELIMINARY
FRANCHISE AGREEMENT Part 2

IN WITNESS THEREOF THE PARTIES HAVE HEREUNTO SET THEIR HANDS
AND SEALS THIS _____ DAY OF _____,
20_____.

Party of the First Part: NATIONAL SHOWGIRL PAGEANTRY

By (Legal Name): NATIONAL SHOWGIRL PAGEANTRY – Presented by Scott
Stebane,

Main Office Address:

8743 Sheridan Road Lot 91

Kenosha, Wisconsin 53143

(262) 287-3667

Fax (262) 764-7002

Email: Emtwolf79@gmail.com

By (Legal Signature): _____

Printed Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip: _____

Country: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email: _____

Franchised Name: _____

National Showgirl/National Showgirl At-Large/National Showman (Example: Wisconsin
National Showgirl. Or Texas National Showgirl At-Large)

Prospective Date(s) of State or Regional Preliminary: _____

Witness by (Legal Signature): _____

Printed Name: _____

****All fees and registration requirements are non-refundable****

National Showgirl Pageantry Rep (Please do not fill out items below)

Official Signature: _____

Title: _____

Printed Name: _____

Date: _____

Date Paid: _____



Obligations to the Prelim Title Holder

Promoter agrees to pay out the following cash prize package \$_____.

Winner shall receive the following:

\$_____ (40%) the night of crowning

\$_____ (40%) at Nationals

\$_____ (20%) the night of Stepdown

Crown or Medallion

Sash

Entry Fee to Nationals

Hotel Cost as Nationals (not to exceed \$350)

Additional items added to prize package:

(please list all items)

Promoters

Signature: _____ Date _____

Title Holders

Signature: _____ Date _____

Witness

Signature: _____ Date _____



Obligations to the Prelim 1st Alternate
(if offering 1st Alternate prize package)

Promoters agree to pay out the following cash prize package to the 1st Alternate
Prize Package \$ _____.

- \$ _____ (40%) the night of crowning
- \$ _____ (40%) At Nationals
- \$ _____ (20%) the night of Stepdown

Entry Fee to Nationals

Additional items added to prize package:
(please list all items)

Signature: _____ Date _____

Promoters
Signature: _____ Date _____

Witness
Signature: _____ Date _____

