

2021-2022



**National Showgirl, National Showgirl At-Large, National Showgirl
Supreme, National Showman, National Showman At-Large
Contestant Handbook**

National Showgirl, National Showgirl At-Large, National Showgirl Supreme, National Showman, National Showman At-Large Contestant Application

Legal Name: _____

Division: _____

Stage Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Email: _____

Phone Number: _____

Preliminary Qualified: _____

Backstage Assistant: _____

Talent & Showgirl/Showman Selections:

- **USB – Must only be Talent, Showgirl/Showman & Crowning Number**
 - File should be labeled (Contestant Name – Talent, Contestant Name – Showgirl/Showman, Contestant Name – Crowning Number)
 - Reminder talent is limited to 5 minutes, your digital file will be verified and returned to you if your file is over 5 minutes. You will have the opportunity to correct and resubmit prior to end of registration.
- **All music (Talent, Showgirl/Showman/Crowning number) MUST be turned in prior to the completion of registration. Your preliminary music selections are final once registration ends. There are no exceptions to this rule. Your final night music must be submitted prior to the end of rehearsal. Once rehearsal is complete your music cannot be changed.**

Preliminary Night Talent

Music Selection: _____

Props: Yes: _____ No: _____ # of person in Talent: _____

Final Night Talent

Music Selection: _____

Props: Yes: _____ No: _____ # of person in Talent: _____

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Contestant Waiver

1. Contestant shall adhere to the 2021-2022 Official National Showgirl, National Showgirl At-Large, National Showgirl Supreme, National Showman & National Showman At-Large rules & regulations in addition to those agreements set forth herein.
2. Contestants for National Showgirl At-Large and National Showman At-Large agree to be weighed in at registration to ensure they meet the minimum weight requirement of 225. If a contestant does not meet the minimum weight requirement, they will have the option to compete in the National Showgirl or National Showman division or they have the option to not compete. If a contestant chooses not to compete NSP will not be held responsible nor reimburse any expenses that may have been incurred. The contestant winning National Showgirl At-Large or National Showman At-Large agrees to maintain the minimum weight requirement through the duration of their reign.
3. Contestants for National Showgirl Supreme will have reached the age of forty-five (45) by the date of registration for the national pageant.
4. Title Holder's Responsibilities – The Title Holder agrees to hold the respective title and National Showgirl Pageantry in the highest esteem. The Title Holder agrees that while appearing, entertaining, or “representing the Title” during the year of their reign to the following:
 - a. Not to engage in the use of illegal substances or engage in any illegal activity.
 - b. Perform at all local, state, regional and national preliminaries if requested.
 - c. Not to participate in malicious gossip.
 - d. To provide professional photograph(s) with crown and/or sash, within thirty (30) days of assuming the Title for use by National Show Girl Pageantry.
 - e. To maintain contact with National Showgirl Pageantry during the year of their reign.
5. National Showgirl Pageantry Remedies – If the Title Holder defaults under this contract, National Showgirl Pageantry may treat any one or more of the foregoing occurrences as a breach of this contract and thereupon at its option may, without notice or demand of any kind (which Title Holder hereby expressly waives), invoke any or all of, but not limited to, the following remedies:
 - a. Suspension of booked/paid preliminary dates, in which another representative of National Showgirl Pageantry will be present to fill the duties of said title holder.
 - b. Deduction of National Prize Package Payments – Determined by the National Showgirl Pageantry Board of Directors.
 - c. Removal as National Showgirl, National Showgirl At-Large, National Showman Title, with a lifetime ban of National Showgirl Pageantry (Website, Preliminaries, etc.)
 - d. Demand the return of all prizes, awards, and/or monies given to the Title Holder
 - e. Refuse entry into any of Promoter's franchised pageants
 - f. Pass the Title to the 1st Runner-up or any other person felt to be qualified by National Showgirl Pageantry
6. Release – The Contestant agrees to release and hold harmless National Showgirl Pageantry and their agents, servants and employees from any liability, and/or responsibility whatsoever, resulting from association with or arising out of Contestant's participation in the National Showgirl, National Showgirl At-Large and National Showman Pageants, and/or the Title including, but not limited to, personal injury, or loss/damage to personal property regardless of whether the loss or injury occurs before, or the National Showgirl, National Showgirl At-Large or National Showman pageants, a Preliminary or any related activity.
7. The Contestant also hereby releases themselves from any and all rights to any videotaping (sound and/or video), photography, or motion picture of National Showgirl, National Showgirl At-Large or National Showman pageant or any Preliminary Pageant. The Contestant also understands that they have or will have no rights to any of the recordings or photographs arising out of said pageants that the Contestant may

appear in or on. The Contestant will also have no rights to any proceeds from sales resulting from said recordings or photographs.

8. The National Showgirl Pageantry system reserves the right to make a decision concerning any matters not covered in the rules and regulations and the contestant agreement.
9. Contestants understand
 - a. If there are less than 10 contestants in any division at the national contest, all contestants within that division will compete during preliminary night and final night will be reduced to the top 5.
 - b. If there are 10-15 contestants in any division at the national contest, all contestants within that division will compete during preliminary night and final night will be reduced to a top 8.
 - c. If 16 or more contestants compete in any division at the national contest all contestants within that division will compete during preliminary night and final night will be reduced to a top 10.

By my signature below I hereby understand that if I am the winner of The National Showgirl, National Showgirl At-Large or National Showman contest – I will fulfill my duties as described in the contestant handbook.

I understand that if I am the winner of The National Showgirl, National Showgirl At-Large or National Showman and I do not fulfill my duties, by violating of the rules governed by National Showgirl Pageants, and/or by behavior and/or actions that are consider demeaning and/or threatening to the title with National Showgirl Pageants, I will be required to forfeit all monies and prizes awarded to me for my participation in the National Showgirl, National Showgirl At-Large or National Showman. I further agree that I **MUST** return these monies, the crown, sash, scepter or any other paraphernalia associated with the title my expense. All items will be express shipped with a verifiable tracking number to the Corporate Headquarters of National Showgirl Pageantry in the condition it was received.

I agree that I have read all the rules and regulations of this contest and agree to abide by the rules that have been set forth. I further agree any items not covered in the rules and regulations can and will be resolved by the governing board of National Showgirl Pageantry, owned by Scott Stebane.

Legal Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____

Date: _____

Information below to be completed by National Showgirl Pageantry.

Official Signature: _____

Printed Name: _____

Title: _____

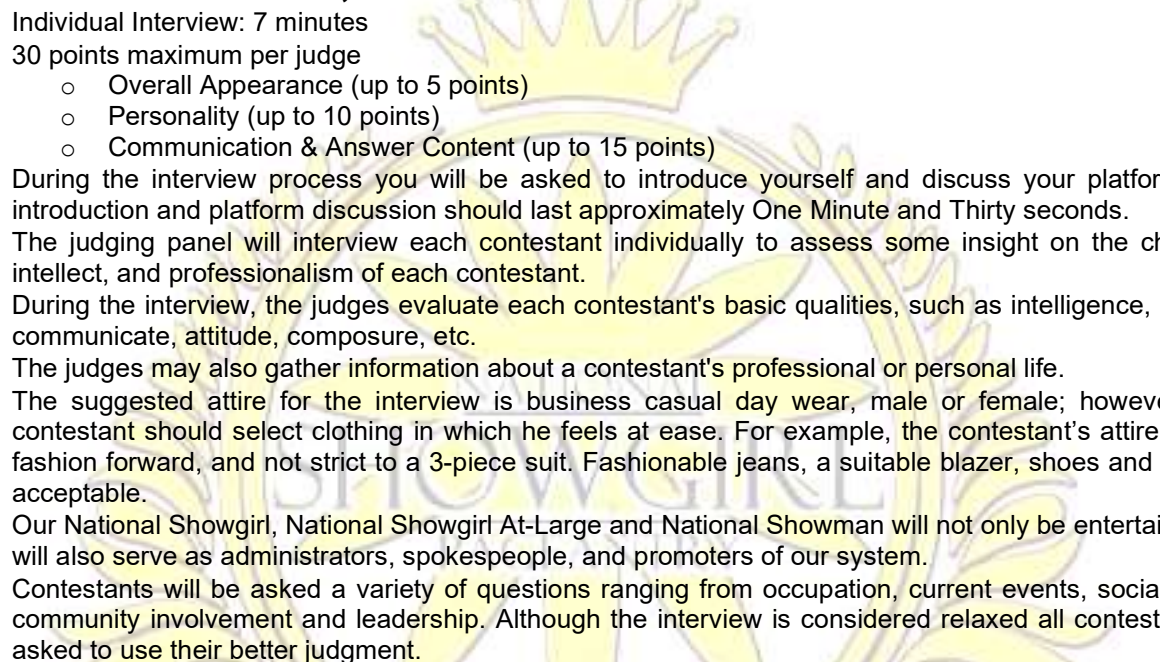
Date: _____

National Showgirl, National Showgirl At-Large, National Showgirl Supreme, National Showman & National Showman At-Large Additional Information

PRESENTATION

- The presentation color for National Showgirl, National Showgirl At-Large and National Showgirl Supreme is **Gold**, National Showman and National Showman At-Large is a combination of **Gold and Purple**.
- This will be your opening look for final night on stage before the top qualified contestants are announced.
- Your choice of look is completely at your discretion it can be a gown/tuxedo, cocktail dress, pant suit, evening gown, cat suit, small showgirl/showman costume. The choice is completely up to you.
- This category is not judged.

PERSONAL INTERVIEW, BUSINESS CASUAL

- Individual Interview: 7 minutes
 - 30 points maximum per judge
 - Overall Appearance (up to 5 points)
 - Personality (up to 10 points)
 - Communication & Answer Content (up to 15 points)
 - During the interview process you will be asked to introduce yourself and discuss your platform. Your introduction and platform discussion should last approximately One Minute and Thirty seconds.
 - 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.
 - The suggested attire for the interview is business casual day wear, male or female; however, each contestant should select clothing in which he feels 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, National Showgirl At-Large and National 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.
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EVENING GOWN/GLITZ FORMAL WEAR

Evening Gown/Glitz Formal Wear will be the most elegant outfit you will wear during the pageant.

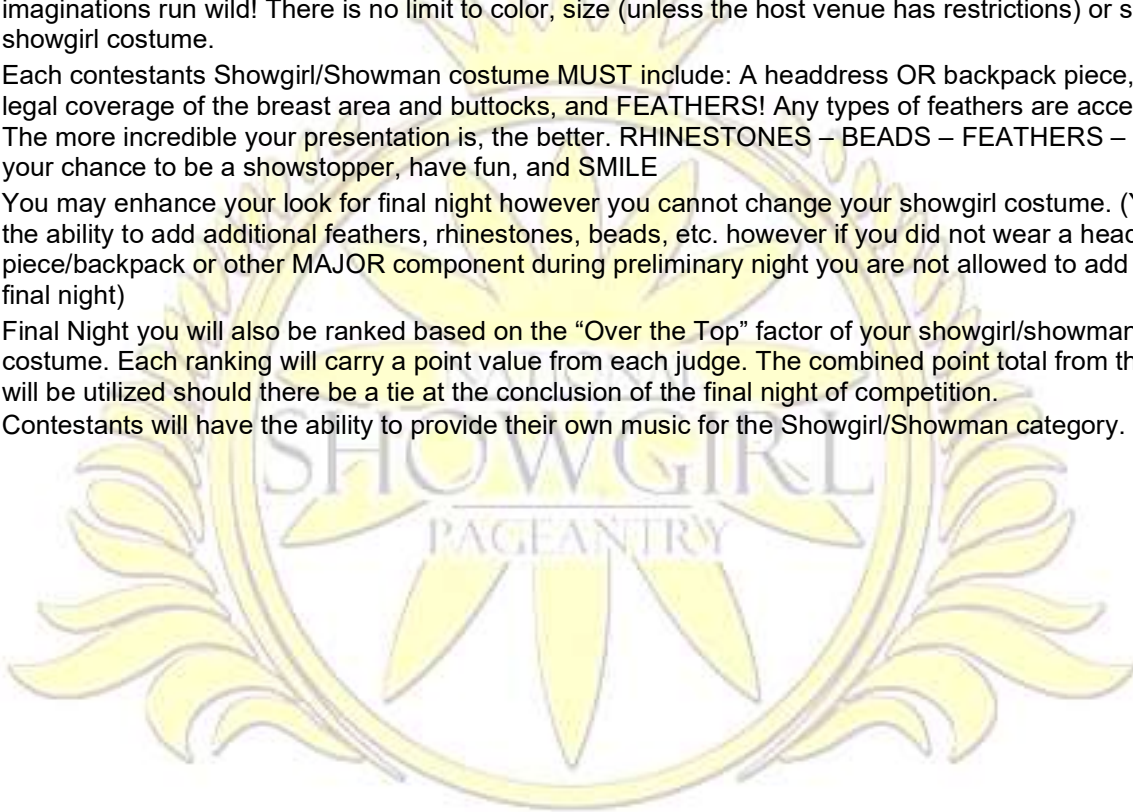
- 15 points maximum per judge
 - Hair & Makeup (up to 5 points)
 - Appearance, Modeling & Overall Aesthetic (up to 10 points)
- It should complement your figure/physique and be a statement of your style and taste.
- The garment and accessories should be in perfect condition.
 - No loose strings should be visible anywhere on the garment. (This includes sleeves, neckline, hem, along the zipper & buttons, or at any seam).
 - There shouldn't be any tears 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 unkempt 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.
- 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!
- Each contestant will be given a description card to be read during modeling

TALENT

- Each contestant will be judged in a Talent selection of their choice.
- 30 points maximum per judge
 - Hair & Makeup (up to 5 points)
 - Showmanship, Stage Presence, Quality of Presentation (up to 10 points)
 - Total Entertainment Value (up to 15 points)
- 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 and (1) minute take down of props. Any contestant exceeding their (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 administrative points and the DJ will cut off the track after 5 minutes.
- **Music must be recorded on USB Drive and must be legibly marked with the contestant name.**
 - **Tracks to be labeled as follows**
 - **Contestant Name - Talent Name (Must be #1)**
 - **Contestant Name – Showgirl/Showman (Must be #2)**
 - **Contestant Name - Crowning Number (Must be #3)**
- No fire, water, nudity, pyrotechnics, glitter or animals are allowed.
- Supreme contestants are limited to two (2) backup dancers during their talent number.

SHOWGIRL/SHOWMAN

- Contestants are required to present their own take on the look of a Showgirl/Showman.
- 50 points maximum per judge (20 points maximum per judge Preliminary Night and 30 points maximum per judge Final Night)
 - WOW Factor (Up to 20 points) – Judged Preliminary Night
 - Presentation & Showmanship (up to 15 points) – **Judged Final Night**
 - Creativity & Design (up to 15 points) – **Judged Final Night**
 - Over the Top – This is a ranked Category and is used on Finals Night at Nationals
- You will only need one (1) showgirl/showman costume for the entire pageant. Preliminary night you will be judged on the WOW Factor of the costume. The score you receive will be carried over to final night. The highest possible points carried over from this category will be 20 points. The contestants competing final night will be additionally scored Presentation, Showmanship, Creativity and Design of your costume, with the possibility of gaining an additional 30 points in this category.
- 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
- You may enhance your look for final night however you cannot change your showgirl costume. (You have the ability to add additional feathers, rhinestones, beads, etc. however if you did not wear a head piece/backpack or other MAJOR component during preliminary night you are not allowed to add one to final night)
- Final Night you will also be ranked based on the “Over the Top” factor of your showgirl/showman costume. Each ranking will carry a point value from each judge. The combined point total from the judges will be utilized should there be a tie at the conclusion of the final night of competition.
- Contestants will have the ability to provide their own music for the Showgirl/Showman category.



National Showgirl, National Showgirl At-Large, National Showgirl Supreme, National Showman, National Showman At-Large Contestant Contract

This contract is between contestant known as (Legal Name) _____, also known as (stage name) _____, agrees to the following terms and conditions below and has won the national title for National Showgirl Pageantry in the following division _____ . The titleholder hereby agrees to represent their title with the utmost level of professionalism. If the any of the below items are violated or the contestant represents their title in a negative manner the title can and will be removed. Any financial obligations with National Showgirl Pageantry (also known as NSP), will cease and the titleholder will be responsible for ensuring their crown, sash, medallion, and scepter will be returned to NSP main office.

Terms and Conditions:

1. Titleholder shall wear their Crown, Pin or Medallion all functions while representing NSP. Titleholder will conduct themselves in a professional manner, and not act in any negative manner that would not only reflect poorly or hurt their own reputation, but that of NSP and or its board of directors.
2. The Titleholder for National Showgirl At-Large & National Showman At-Large agree to maintain the minimum weight requirement through the duration of their reign.
3. Any criminal activity excluding traffic violations will not be tolerated and need to be reported to the board of directors. If said activity is found to be to excessive it may result in the title being removed and this contract being terminated
4. Titleholder shall not engage in any drug use or drug related activities during their reign
5. Titleholder shall not engage in excessive intoxication at any event that they are representing their title or NSP.
6. While wearing your crown, pin, or medallion smoking is prohibited in public view
7. Titleholder shall not engage in any form of prostitution.
8. Titleholder shall not take any pictures while wearing their crown, pin, or medallion that would be used or result in any form of solicitation.
9. Titleholder shall make every effort to work with NSP board and promoters to help bring in contestants, sell prelims, and represent the causes in the community that NSP has set forth
10. Titleholder agrees to make themselves available for all prelims, if the titleholder is unable to attend a preliminary, they must notify the National office, the regional promoter, and local promoter, to decide for another title holder to take their place. If at the time no title holder is available, the regional promoter or member of the board may be used as a suitable substitute.
11. If a scheduled prelim is cancelled by a title holder at the last minute or the said title holder fails to show up, said title holder is responsible for reimbursing the promoter for air fare, hotel, etc.... up to but not to exceed \$500.00
12. Promoters shall not be responsible for more than \$500.00 in travel costs to said title holder. If the distance is further than the above cost, the title holder may still do the booking, however the difference will be covered by said title holder. If the title holder is unable to make the booking because of above for mentioned, refer to Term 9 above. The promoter shall still be responsible for having said title holder present if the promoter failed to book the said title holder in a timely manner causing the fee to exceed the \$500.00 max.
13. Title holder is responsible for ensuring a promo picture is received by the national office no later than 30 days of title holders crowing.
14. Title holder shall not use any form of social media and which may negatively represent themselves, NSP, any promoters, or any other contestants running for an NSP title.
15. Title holder shall not go publicly speak negatively of NSP, promoters, venues, or anyone dealing with NSP
16. In the event a title holder needs to cancel a prelim they must notify the national office, regional promoters, and promoters at least 14 days in advance of said prelim, unless there is a death in the family (immediate), medical emergency, other circumstances must be approved by the board
17. Title holder shall make every effort to help ensure the continued growth of NSP by means of social media, networking, performances, public speaking events to help make this possible.
18. As said title holder you must maintain a working valid phone number, and email account, said title holder must also check in with NSP board at least once a month minimum.

19. Title holder agrees not to hold NSP or any associated venues, or promoters liable for any injuries or damages done during their reign.
20. Title holder shall not compete for any other titles while they are the National Title Holder for NSP, this includes but not limited to qualifying for any other national titles. Bar titles or state titles.
21. In the event the said title holder is unable to fulfill their obligations, or said terms of the contract all monies remaining to be paid will cease and, said title holder will be responsible for returning their crown, sash, medallion, and scepter to NSP office.

Obligations to the title holder of National Showgirl, National Showgirl At-Large, National Showgirl Supreme, National Showman, National Showman At-Large.

1. NSP hereby agrees to have the title holder booked at all prelims in said division, unless the travel distance exceeds the \$500.00 limit as above mentioned
2. NSP agrees to assist in the setup of promoter, title holder and said prelim. All final arrangements will be between the regional promoter, promoter, and title holder. All prelims must be confirmed by the main office 30 days prior to prelim.
3. NSP agrees to make sure the title holder is paid said monies agreed up by the promoter.
4. NSP agrees that the title holder shall be paid a \$200.00 booking fee (unless other arrangements have been made) as well as the hotel and travel expenses have not exceeded the \$500.00 max
5. NSP agrees to pay for said title holders step down, hotel and travel expenses not exceeding \$500.00 max
6. NSP agrees to pay out monies in the following manner
National Showgirl, National Showgirl At-Large
 - a. **\$1,000.00** Night of Crowning
 - b. **\$500.00** after promo pic is submitted (within the 30-day timeframe)
 - c. **\$1,500.00** after 3 prelims have been sold, contract & monies received by the NSP office, and those prelims have been successfully executed.
 - d. **\$1,000.00** at stepdown

National Showgirl Supreme, National Showman, National Showman At-Large

- a. **\$1,000.00** Night of Crowning
- b. **\$250.00** after promo pic is submitted (within the 30-day timeframe)
- c. **\$750.00** after 2 prelims have been sold, contract & monies received by the NSP office, and those prelims have been successfully executed.
- d. **\$500.00** at stepdown

Certificates and non-cash prizes will be furnished the night of crowning.

NSP provides an advisory board seat for the title holder upon their step down to continue for 1 year following their step down.

If all terms and conditions are understood by signing this above for mentioned contract you agree to abide by the terms and conditions set forth in this contract. NSP reserves the right to revise this contract as needed to obtain the highest standard in National Showgirl Pageantry.

Legal Name Printed: _____ Date: _____

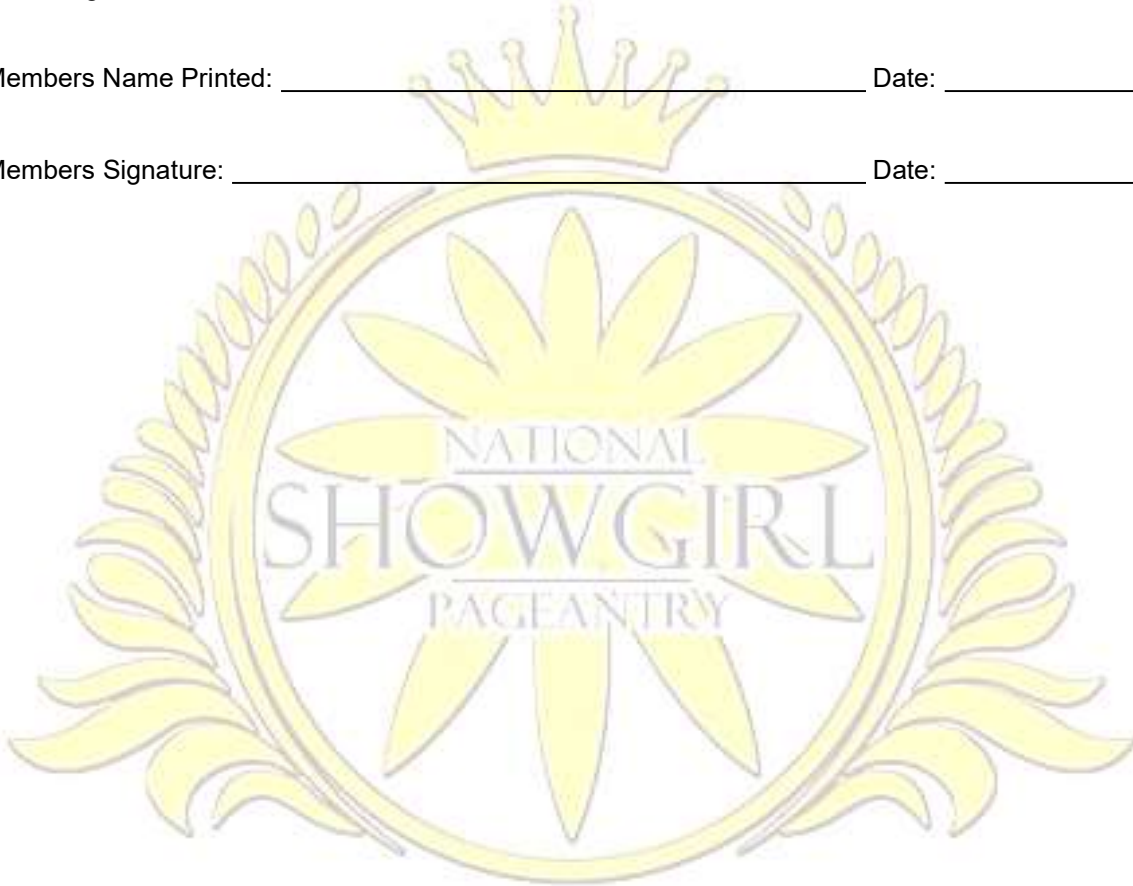
Signature: _____ Date: _____

Stage Name Printed: _____ Date: _____

Stage Name Signature: _____ Date: _____

Board Members Name Printed: _____ Date: _____

Board Members Signature: _____ Date: _____



Host Hotel

Wyndham Hotel Celebration
 3022 Maingate Lane
 Kissimmee, FL

Hotel Rate: \$89.00/Night (plus tax) (The \$20/night resort fee is included in this cost)



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HOTELS AND RESORTS

WYNDHAM HOTEL CELEBRATION

407-396-1400
 3011 Maingate Lane Kissimmee, FL

This 434 room resort & conference center is located 1 mile from the main entrance to Walt Disney World Resorts. The Wyndham Hotel Celebration is located on 6 beautifully landscaped acres from where you can watch the Disney Fireworks from the comfort of your room and enjoy beautiful views of Animal Kingdom's Mount Everest. Close to popular attractions, world-class shopping, prestigious golf courses and walking distance to many restaurants, this resort is sure to meet all your needs.

Hotel amenities include two outdoor pools, basketball and tennis courts, 24-hour fitness facilities as well as a 24-hour business center. Parking is free and a complimentary theme park shuttle is also available. Visit our on-site food court as well as a restaurant which is open daily for breakfast lunch and dinner.



POINTS OF INTEREST

- Walt Disney World 1 Mile
- ESPN Wide World of Sports 1 Miles
- Disney Springs 2 Miles
- Celebration Town Center 4 Miles
- Outlet Mall 7 Miles
- Seaworld 12 Miles
- Aquatica 12 Miles
- Champions Gate Golf Course 10 Miles
- Universal Studios 16 Miles
- City Walk 16 Miles
- Beaches 30 Miles

FEATURES:

- Complimentary Shuttle to Theme Parks
- Complimentary On-Site Parking
- Free Wi-Fi
- Concierge
- 2 Outdoor Heated Pools & Whirlpool
- Fitness Center
- Dry Cleaning Services
- Business Center
- On site Copy & Fax
- ATM
- Weekly Children's Activities

GUEST ROOM AMENITIES:

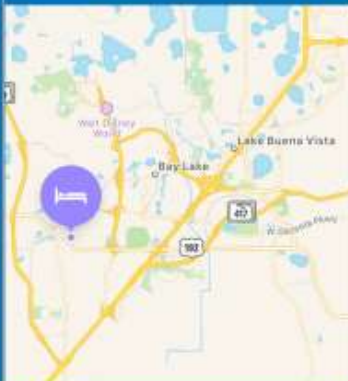
- Coffee Maker
- Flat-Screen TV
- Garden Tub
- Mini Refrigerator
- Rooms with Views of Walt Disney Worlds Nightly Fireworks
- ADA Rooms
- In Room Safe

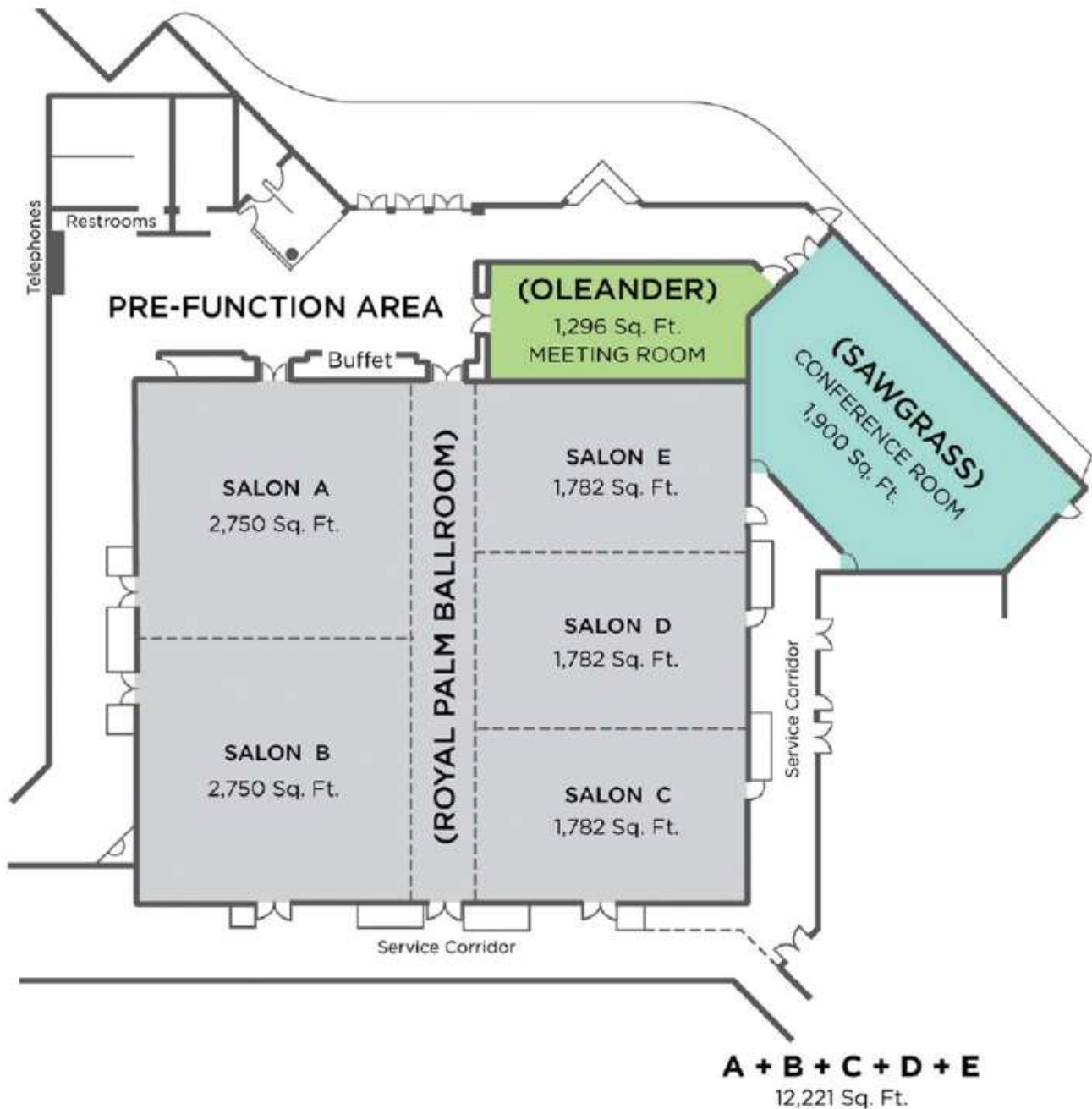
CONFERENCE CENTER:

- 30,000 Sq. Ft.
- Flexible Meeting Spaces
- Can Fit up to 1,300 Attendees
- Certain Audio Visual Equipment Provided
- Complete Food & Beverage Services
- Dance Floor (If Needed)
- Telephone Capabilities

DINING:

- Savannah Bar & Grill
- Seasonal Poolside Bar
- Pizza Hut & Starbucks
- Sundry/Gift Shop

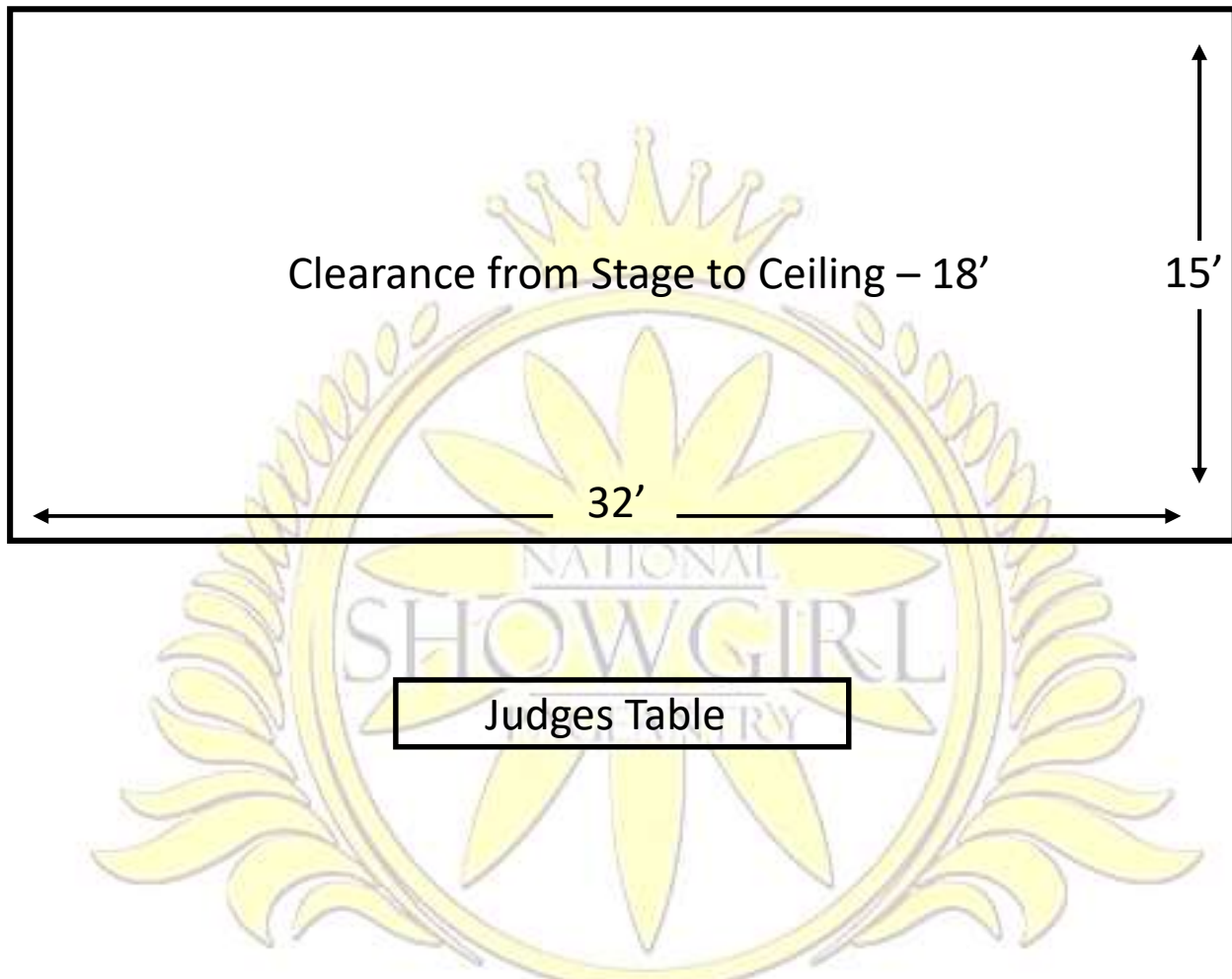




- Registration: Oleander Ballroom
- Interview: Salon D & E
- Pageant Venue: Salon D & E
- Salon C will be utilized for the dressing room
- Alcohol will be available for purchase in the pageant venue
- Food will be available for purchase in the Pre-Function area during the pageant.

2021-2022 Performance Area

Dressing Room



Dressing Room is located directly behind the stage.

Dressing Room Size – 1782 Sq Ft.

Dressing Room Ceiling Height – 20'

Door Clearance from Dressing Room to Stage – 20' (Both Entrance & Exit)

Contestants will enter from the right of the stage and exit to the left.

Only Contestants and 1 Dresser will be allowed backstage.