

2017 Lake County Illinois State Pageant

Important Dates

- November 1, 2016 – Applications and Information emailed to local town directors
- January 1, 2017 – Applications and \$40 fee due
- January 1, 2017 - Online ticket sales begin
- January, 2017 – Workshop TBA, more information to come!
- February 1, 2017 – Program advertisements due
- February 3, 2017 – Online ticket sales close
- February 11, 2017 – Practice at the Grant Township Center. 26725 West Molidor Road, Ingleside 60041. Little Miss 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM, Junior Miss 10:00 AM – 11:00 AM, Miss 11:00 AM – 12:00 PM.
- February 12, 2017 – Lake County Illinois State Pageant. Doors open 2:30 PM, stage competition begins at 3:00 PM

Pageant Day Helpful Hints

- Interviews will be one on one, there will not be a panel of judges.
 - Little and Junior Miss Contestants, 3 minutes with each judge, 3 judges
 - Miss Contestants, 4 minutes with each judge, 6 judges
- Only one person per contestant can help drop off items needed for the stage competition before interviews. We ask that this person exit the backstage area once interviews begin.
- No reserved seating in the theater will be allowed, except for the contestant who sells the most advertisements. 10 reserved seats (does not include admission or program book) will be reserved for one contestant who raises the most money in advertisements. This does not affect scoring, and the judges do not know who has raised the most money. Details are on our website. **Judges do not see the program book.**
- Contestants are responsible for their own lunch and/or snack.
- Each town is allowed one dresser to share between their Little Miss, Junior Miss and Miss Contestant.
 - Dresser must be 16 years or older and female
 - Dresser must be able to be without their phone for the entire pageant
 - If a dresser is caught with a phone or electronic device backstage, they will be ejected from the building, and their contestants will be disqualified. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**
 - Dresser will be supplied with a badge for the day of the pageant. They do not have to pay for admission.
- Bring a mirror, hair and makeup necessities, pageant attire, water bottle, sewing kit, safety pins, static guard, clothes to go home in, and a GOOD ATTITUDE!
- Each age division will have some free time, be sure to eat and prepare for the stage competition. No one other than the contestants and the shared dresser will be allowed backstage
 - Tip- keep your hair the same for interviews and the stage competition.

- For more details on the competition, please consult the pageant website. Feel free to contact Kylie Brazda, President and Director, at president@lakecountypageant.com or 847-970-0892.
- Tickets for the pageant are as follows-
 - Online Ticket Purchases, 1/1/17 – 2/1/17
 - Adults, \$11, includes program book
 - Children 10 years and younger, and any title holders with crown and/or sash, \$6, does not include program book
 - Tickets purchased at the Gorton Center will be \$4 more each. Be sure to buy yours online by 2/1/17!!!
 - Additional program books are \$3
- We will only be selling 275 tickets, so get yours early. We will sell out!

Pageant Program

- Miss, Junior, Little Casual Wear/Speech
 - Contestants will be wearing a town sash given to them the day of the pageant from the LCIS board.
- Miss Athletic Wear
- Little, Junior, Miss Gown/Pop Question
- Crowning
 - Little, Junior, Miss

Program Advertisements

- Each contestant is required to bring in a minimum of \$50 in program advertisements. These advertisements may be from a business or from a family or friend. They can promote a contestant or business.
 - Contestants will not be allowed to compete if they do not bring in the minimum of dollar amount of program advertisements.
 - The contestant that sells the most advertisements will be able to reserve 10 seats in the theater. The LCIS board will provide you with signs to reserve seats. These seats do not include tickets or program books. Judges do not see the program book.
- Please use the sponsorship letter to solicit businesses.
- **All advertisements must be in .jpeg format.**
 - The .jpeg does not have to be the exact size listed, we can manipulate the image to fit our program.
- Advertisements can be emailed to sponsor@lakecountypageant.com
- See the following page for the email format.
 - Credit to the contestant will not be given unless it is in the exact format shown.
- Payment can be done online or a check can be made out and mailed to
 - Lake County Illinois State Pageant, 1235 Ashbury Lane, Libertyville, IL 60048
 - Memo line must state which contestant the advertisement is for.
- Advertisements are due 2/1/17, sorry no exceptions
- The back cover is reserved for a business advertisement and cannot promote a contestant.