



2026 Buena Vista County Fair Queen Candidate Information Form

Name: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip Code: _____

Email Address: _____

While an email address is not required, it is highly encouraged as this will ensure we are able to send you reminders, important documents, and any other information in a timely manner

Parents/Guardians (First & last names): _____

T-shirt Size (Please circle one):

Small Medium Large X-Large XX-Large XXX-Large

I understand that if selected as royalty, I have responsibilities and standards that I hereby state that I will uphold during my reign. I understand that my reign starts at the crowning and ends the following year at the crowning of the new royalty. I understand that if chosen Queen, I will be expected to be in parades, as well as help with all candidate events and judging, and be present to reign at the fair, all of which will begin once I am crowned. As Queen, I will also be required to attend the Iowa State Fair for Queens week (More information will be given once crowned). I understand that if I am selected as Princess, I am expected to be in parades, community outreach events, and fair. If for any reason I cannot fulfill my obligations as royalty, I agree to surrender my title and awards. I also understand the rules of the competition and know that as a candidate I will be disqualified from becoming royalty if I do not comply. (See attached rules below)

Signed: _____ **Date:** _____

If candidate is under the age of 18, a parent/guardian signature is **REQUIRED**

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

All forms are due May 30, 2026. Candidates may send them in the mail before the date to the address listed below.

!!NO LATE FORMS WILL BE ACCEPTED!!

Mailing Address:

**Buena Vista County Fair
Attn: Emily Launderville
Po Box #125
Alta, IA 51002**

2026 Buena Vista County Fair Queen Entry Form

Official Competition Form

This form may be printed or typed. This form will be used by judges and answers will be published in the newspaper. A wallet sized photo must be included with your forms as it will also be published in the Paper. If no photo is submitted, one will not be published.

Name: _____ Grade in school this fall: _____

School District you attend: _____

Parents/Guardians (First & Last): _____

Siblings: _____

School activities you are involved in: _____

Hobbies: _____

Community Involvement: _____

Honors and Awards Received (Not limited to 4-H/FFA): _____

Plans After School (High School Seniors Only): _____

How have you been involved with the Buena Vista County Fair?: _____

Why did you choose to participate in the Queen Contest?: _____

How do you feel you could be an asset to the Buena Vista County Fair?: _____

Please feel free to attach any additional materials to these forms as you see fit. This could include any additional photos, an essay, etc. This is NOT required. If you have any questions, please message Emily Launderville at (712) 299- 9087.

Buena Vista County Fair Queen Rules and Regulations

- 1.** Each contestant must be at least 16 years of age and not more than 21 years of age on the first day of the Iowa State Fair (August 13, 2026)
- 2.** Contestants must never have been married or have had children
- 3.** A county fair queen must reside in the county she represents or an adjoining county if the majority of her activities are in the county she represents
- 4.** Any previous royalty of the county fair may not compete again.
- 5.** Royalty will be selected by judges by consideration of personality, leadership, and poise.
- 6.** If the winner cannot reign or fulfill her duties until a new queen is crowned, she must forfeit her title and all awards associated with it to the first runner up. (Princess)
- 7.** Should the queen become pregnant or married before crowning the next year's queen, she must forfeit her title and all awards to the first runner up. (Princess)
- 8.** Contestants and royalty are expected to attend all events handed out by the queen coordinator.
- 9.** Any current candidate or current royalty caught using drugs or participating in underage drinking will be eliminated from the competition or forfeit any title won.
- 10.** We follow ALL rules and regulations set by the Iowa State Fair Queen Competition.
- 11.** The Buena Vista County Fair Queen Coordinators reserve the right to change and interpret the foregoing rules and regulations at any time as deemed necessary.

