

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

The Little Miss, Young Miss & Junior Miss South Dakota International Pageants are designed to give young ladies a positive environment to express themselves. Judges will be looking for community involvement, personality, etiquette, poise and beauty. This is a natural pageant.

**Make up, faux hair & faux teeth are NOT permitted.** The only make up allowed is black mascara and clear lip gloss. The contestants will be judged on the following: Interview, etiquette review and party dress presentation. Each new titleholder will receive an official crown and sash. ***There is absolutely no previous pageant experience required.***

## TO QUALIFY A CONTESTANT MUST MEET THE FOLLOWING REQUIREMENTS:

1. You must be at least 5 years old and not more than 12 as of 10/1/17 to qualify in your age group.
2. Must be of good health and moral character.
3. A U.S. citizen and a resident of South Dakota for at least six months as of competition date.
4. Each contestant will be subject to entry fee.
5. You must submit a copy of your official birth certificate with your application and fee.
6. You agree that the judges' decision is final.
7. Any contestant, family member or guest showing less than sportsman-like behavior will lead to disqualification of the contestant.
8. If selected, you agree to abide by all rules and regulations of the state and/or forfeit the title. If contestant relinquishes her title, for any reason, all prizes must be returned in full, and in condition received.
9. You will permit The South Dakota International Pageants L.L.C. and their licensees the right to use your photograph for publicity purposes in connection with The South Dakota International Pageants.
10. You will permit The South Dakota International Pageants L.L.C. and their licensees to televise

live or by use of film or videotape any portion or all of the competition. 11. All titleholder appearances, media, interviews, and printed materials need the approval of the state director in advance of making a commitment to appear. 12. Any misrepresentation of information on this application will result in disqualification.

## TO APPLY

Please include all of the following:

1. You and your parent/guardian should read the information in this application carefully before you submit your application, **high resolution** headshot, copy of birth certificate and \$125.00 non-refundable entry fee made payable to **The South Dakota International Pageants**. Payment can be sent to:  
**South Dakota International Pageants, L.L.C.**  
PO Box 2111  
Sioux Falls, SD 57101-2111

2. Please complete and **email** the official application, copy of your birth certificate and a **high resolution** headshot by **email** to [mrssouthdakota@gmail.com](mailto:mrssouthdakota@gmail.com) by the 9/15/17. **Please check to make sure that your headshot image is high resolution to ensure that it prints clearly. This is the responsibility of the contestant.** A complete packet of information will be emailed to you after your application and payment are received. There is no talent/performance competition in this pageant. All fees paid are non-refundable.

## EVENT

**Saturday, Oct. 21st-**Contestants should arrive 15 minutes prior to their interview time. Interview times will be announced closer to the pageant.

**Sunday, Oct. 22nd-** Parents can organize their daughter's belongings in the dressing room at registration. Only pageant staff members will be allowed in the practice areas of the pageant during the rehearsal and interviews.

# South Dakota International Youth Pageants Ages 5-12



## APPLICATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Age \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Contestant T-shirt size \_\_\_\_\_

Food allergies \_\_\_\_\_

### Optional:

Local Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Local youth sashes are \$60

Please contact director for local crown pricing.

\*All sashes are custom made & take approx. 4 weeks for delivery. Entry fees need to be paid in full to order a local crown & sash. Local titleholders are not able to participate in other pageants while they represent The South Dakota International Pageant.

## AGE DIVISIONS

Please mark division below. Contestant age as of state pageant date (10/1/17)

Little Miss 5-6 years \_\_\_\_\_

Young Miss 7-9 years \_\_\_\_\_

Junior Miss 10-12 years \_\_\_\_\_

I hereby give my child permission to enter The South Dakota International Pageant and agree to abide by all rules and regulations of the pageant. I have read the rules and regulations listed on this application and I understand that violating any of these will result in disqualification from the pageant, and no fees will be refunded. I agree to hold The

South Dakota International Pageants L.L.C. harmless from any and all claims for damages/loss or injury resulting directly or indirectly from participation in this pageant or any event during the winner's reign should my child win the title. I understand the \$125.00 entry fee is due upon receipt of this application. Pageant dates are 10/21/17 & 10/22/17. All pageant weekend activities will be held at The Orpheum Theatre. Entry deadline is 9/15/17.

Deadlines will be strictly enforced. No checks will be accepted the day of the pageant. Please call The South Dakota International Pageants at (605) 360-1117 if you have any questions. **Make checks payable to The South Dakota International Pageants.** All information and fees must be received by 9/15/17. Please be sure to allow for mailing time to ensure delivery by 9/15/17.

Parent/Guardian

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Total enclosed \_\_\_\_\_



**FOR OFFICE USE ONLY:**

DATE RECEIVED: \_\_\_\_\_

ENTRY FEE PAID: \_\_\_\_\_

BIRTH CERT RECEIVED: \_\_\_\_\_

HIGH RESOLUTION HEADSHOT RECEIVED: \_\_\_\_\_

NOTES \_\_\_\_\_

*Professional Photography by  
Push Play Photography*



*Junior Miss South Dakota  
International 2017*

Dilynn Severson  
(Left)

*Little Miss South Dakota  
International 2017*

Emily Enga  
(Center)

*Young Miss South Dakota  
International 2017*

Jadyn Ramazani  
(Right)

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