



# FAIR ROYALTY PROGRAM

Our Fair Royalty Program is designed to promote greater public understanding, awareness and interest in Pennsylvania's number one industry - agriculture<sup>1</sup>. The Fair Royalty participants share a unique opportunity to promote our fair and our county's agriculture, as well as an opportunity for personal and professional growth, and development. The Program provides each participant the opportunity to build and enhance confidence in her abilities, poise in her presentations, pride in her accomplishments, skills in communication, knowledge of fair industry and sportsmanship in accepting success or defeat gracefully.

## Little Miss Contest Guidelines

**CONTEST DATE: Sunday, June 14, 2026 @ 11 a.m.**

**CONTEST DEADLINE: JUNE 7, 2026**

The purpose of the Little Miss Competition is to encourage the promotion of agricultural fairs and to create better relations between youth and adults in both rural and urban settings.

1. **This is not a beauty contest. You do not need talent to enter.** Contestants will be judged on the communication ability. Judging will take place prior to the Fair and the results will remain sealed until **Monday, July 20, 2026** at the Opening Ceremonies, the first night of the Fair.
2. Be at least **8 years of age and under 11 years old** by June 1, 2026.
3. Be either a resident of Chester County, an exhibitor of the fair or live in one of the surrounding school districts (Phoenixville, Spring-Ford, Owen J. Roberts, Downingtown, Great Valley, Conestoga, CAT-Pickering, Kimberton Waldorf or Renaissance Academy).
4. All participants shall attend the Kimberton Community Fair – **July 20 – 25, 2026** for at least two hours each weeknight and Saturday from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. The elected Little Miss should be available to crown the next Little Miss for 2027. She should also represent and promote the fair by word of mouth.
5. Each prospective contestant must complete the Entry Form. Please read the entry form before filling it out. Contestants should first outline what she wants to say on another piece of paper, then type or print the application. The entry form is used for publicity and the interview, so please complete it neatly, parents may help. The reverse side may be used if additional space is needed.



6. Contestants must have their parent or legal guardian sign the entry form. The purpose of this signature is to allow Kimberton Fair to use the information for the interview and to be sure the contestant has permission to participate in this contest.
7. The interview and presentation competition will be held **on June 14, 2026, beginning at 11:00 a.m.** at the **Kimberton Fair office located at St. Basil's Church, 2230 Kimberton Road.** During the interview the judges will use the information from the application as well as ask other questions.
8. Contestants must be prepared with an original full poster board on "*What I like Most About Kimberton Fair*" and be able to explain the poster. Cue cards may be utilized, and the individual will not be penalized for using such.
9. The outfit for the interview and presentation should be dressy casual. The night of the crowning, a party or church type dress should be worn, (no big, fluffy, frilly dresses and no fancy hairdos); girls must look their age.
10. Contestants should not wear denim material (jeans or shorts), crop tops or excessive jewelry to **any** event where they are representing the Kimberton Community Fair (i.e., during fair week, or other events (when invited)). Your appearance displays an image to the public of our fair. Acceptable clothing would be nice dress shorts, skirts (longer than fingertips), dress pants or summer dress (longer than fingertips). Unacceptable clothing would be items with holes, rips, stains, questionable sayings or pictures, or advertisements other than Kimberton Fair. Shoes – NO SNEAKERS, boots or flipflops. Must wear closed toe shoes for barn activities for safety reasons.
11. No make-up or lipstick, uncolored lip gloss will be acceptable; girls must look their age.

## **The deadline for entry is June 7, 2026.**

**This contest may be cancelled if we have two or less entrants. You will be contacted by email if this occurs.**

The decision of the Judges and/or Kimberton Fair Committee is final. If for any reason the chosen Little Miss is unable to fulfill her obligations, she agrees to relinquish her title and all privileges awarded to her. The Kimberton Fair Committee has the discretion of recall should any improprieties or negative circumstances occur. Your actions portray an image of our fair to the public. Any Little Miss recalled will be succeeded by the next eligible runner-up.

<sup>1</sup> Agriculture includes various commodities of Pennsylvania including livestock (dairy, beef, poultry, swine, goats, sheep, equine, and rabbits), agronomic/horticulture/forestry, and other general agri-science and agri-business organizations including many "Green" initiatives.