

DNCFR Queen Contest rules

Age divisions

Princess: Ages 9-13

Jr Queen: Ages 14-17

Sr Queen: Ages 18-23

Eligibility:

- 1 This contest is open to all female residents of the Wilderness Circuit and within 250 miles of its borders.
- 2 An individual may hold each title one time only.
- 3 Contestants shall never have been married or pregnant and uphold a stand of morals deemed acceptable by the DNCFR committee and board of directors.
- 4 Contestants may not hold any other titles.
- 5 Each contestant must agree to contest rules and royalty responsibilities and must sign the commitment agreements
- 6 Stud horses are strictly forbidden in /at any portion of the contest or coronation.

Judging

- 1 Contestants will be judged on Horsemanship, Appearance, Timed Speech, Impromptu Questions, Rodeo, Horse and Current event knowledge.
- 2 Everyone attending the competition is observing the contestants. Contestants are expected to behave in a lady like manner in actions and words.
- 3 Tardiness will not be tolerated for any reason. Five points will be deducted from the overall score of the contestant for the first 5 minutes they are late and one additional point for every minute after that.
- 4 Appearance will be judged in all sections of the competition. It is based on overall fit, cleanliness, appropriateness and style of wardrobe, makeup and hair, fit of Western hat.

Coronation

- 1 Coronation will follow the Saturday noon performance of the DNCFR
- 2 The title of Princess, Jr Queen and Sr Queen will be awarded to the highest point holder in their respective divisions. In the event of a tie, the contestant receiving the highest horsemanship points will be awarded the title.

Reign requirements

- 1 DNCFR Committee picnic and contract signing. Held mid June (place and time to be announced).
- 2 4th of July parade - Pocatello, Idaho (time to be announced-ttba)
- 3 July 24th parade – Pocatello, Idaho (likely the weekend prior, ttba)
- 4 Chubbuck days parade early August – Chubbuck, ID (ttba)
- 5 Eastern Idaho State Fair Parade – Blackfoot, Idaho (ttba) and at the Eastern Idaho State Fair booth for at least 2 appearances.
- 6 ISU Homecoming parade early October (ttba)
- 7 Parade of Lights - November 26, 2010 (ttba)
- 8 Four trailer appearances of your choice (kick off party mandatory)
- 9 Weekend prior to DNCFR
- 10 Week of DNCFR, Monday through Saturday night

If you miss one of these events you will be warned. If you miss two or more of the listed events the DNCFR Executive Board of Directors retains the right to require the forfeiture of the title and all related prizes.

Reign

- 1 If during her reign, the Sr Queen, Jr Queen or Princess is unable to complete her responsibilities and expectations, she will forfeit her title and all prizes awarded to her and the 1st runner up will be awarded the title.
- 2 If during her reign the Sr Queen, Jr Queen or Princess becomes pregnant or marries she will forfeit her title and all prizes and the 1st runner up will be awarded the title.
- 3 If during her reign, the Sr Queen, Jr Queen or Princess is conducting herself in a manner the committee or board of directors finds inappropriate for her role she will forfeit her title and all prizes awarded her and the 1st runner up will be awarded the title. She will not be eligible for competition in the future.
- 4 The Sr Queen will be responsible for insuring the crown and to maintain it during her reign. She will also be responsible for the care of the chaps and vest and the DNCFR Flag, and is fully responsible for their replacement or repair in a timely manner if damaged during her reign.