

# 2010 MONONA COUNTY FAIR LITTLE PRINCESS CONTEST GENERAL INFORMATION

**The date of the Monona County Little Princess Interviews/Contest and the Monona County Fair Opening Ceremonies is Wednesday July 14, 2010.**

## Monona County Fair Princess Contest

1. Little Princess candidates must be sponsored by individual persons, businesses, or area organizations. Contestants may have more than one sponsor.
2. The cost to sponsor a girl is \$15.00 per entry.
3. Each contestant **MUST** be between 6 years old and 8 years old on July 14, 2010.
4. Each contestant **MUST** have completed first grade.
5. Each contestant **MUST** reside in Monona County.
6. Any contestant who has **NOT** been a finalist in a previous Monona County Little Princess contest may re-enter provided they meet all other requirements (age/grade).
7. Each contestant will be judged on poise, personality, overall appearance and citizenship.
8. Completed entry form, along with school picture must be postmarked by June 23, 2010. **NO EXCEPTIONS!!** Pictures may also be emailed to [bruning@wildblue.net](mailto:bruning@wildblue.net)

Entry forms are available online at [www.mononacofair.com](http://www.mononacofair.com)

Mail entry form, sponsor fee, and picture to:

Darla Lloyd, 35536 129<sup>th</sup> St, Mapleton, IA 51034

Interviews will start at **2:00 p.m., Wednesday, July 14th, at the Monona County Extension Office, 119 Iowa Ave., Onawa.** Your daughter should be dressed casual for the day, dressy-casual for the evening competition at the fair grounds. We will be judging during the afternoon, and we will have several activities going on during the judging. We are going to set the judges at a table across the room from the activities, so the girls will feel more comfortable. The interviews should wind up around 4:30 p.m. Then we will have some light snacks for the girls. Please feel free to return to the Extension Office around 4:45 p.m., and we should be about done!

A panel of judges will be selecting Little Princess, First Runner-up, and Miss Congeniality. The top three will be presented with a sash that we would like you to wear when you are at the fair, this will entitle you to free admission to the Grandstand events. All contestants are welcome to wear their sashes any time they are at the fair, but it does not entitle her to any free admissions, or rides at the carnival. We ask that you please have a parent with you at all times while on the Fairgrounds. If you are chosen as Little Princess, the Fair Board will need a picture of you wearing your crown and sash for the next year's fair book.

The coronation of the 2010 Fair Queen and Little Princess will take place shortly after 7:00 p.m., on **Wednesday, July 14<sup>th</sup>**. The contest will be held in the grandstand, weather permitting. The alternative location is the livestock building. The girls need to be there by 6:45. We will give you more details at the preliminary judging. Please be sure to invite your friends and family to join us for the crowning.

All Little Princess Contestants are to ride in the Fair Parade on Sunday, July 18th at 1:00 p.m. Please wear your sash, and come to the old football field (soccer field) just south of the fairgrounds for the parade will line-up. Be there no later than 12:45p.m. We will be towards the beginning of the parade. Finalists will need to dress up, but candidates may dress casual. We ask that parents sit close to the beginning of the parade route, so that you may pick up your child as soon as we return to the old football field. We usually return to the field about 30-45 minutes after the parade begins, as we are at the beginning of the parade. It is always a big help to us if someone can be there, as the girls like to get off the float! We appreciate your cooperation!

Darla Lloyd, Chairperson & Sharyl Bruning are the members of the Monona County Little Princess Committee. We look forward to meeting you, and we want you to have fun at the competition! If you have any questions, please feel free to contact any of us at any time!!

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