

New Holland Farmers Day Association Fair Queen

The New Holland Fair Queen is expected to promote the agriculture aspect of our community and to represent our fair at the local and state level.

Crowning Date: *Monday, October 2, 2023*

Time: 7:00 PM at the New Holland Fair Building

Fair Queen Coordinator Paulene Redding 717-355-2529

RULES For Queen Contest. Both State and Local Rules Apply.

(State) - Contest held in Hershey, PA during PSACF Convention January 17-20, 2024

1. Be a female who is a U.S. citizen and a resident of Pennsylvania.
2. Be at least age 16, but no older than 20, years of age as of June 1 of the year entering the local contest.
3. Be certified as the winner by the local fair where she was crowned.
4. Have not been a former local Fair Queen winner nor a former PA Fair Queen contestant.
5. Not hold any other State title for any other commodity group or pageant during her reign.
6. Have her parent(s)' or guardian(s)' consent to enter the competition.
7. Be single, have never been married, have not been pregnant nor given birth to a child.
8. Act in accordance with the PA Fair Queen "Behavior Policy" - see attached
9. Meet all time commitments, Queen obligations, and "Dress Code" as set forth by the PA Fair Queen Program -

(Local)

10. All candidates **MUST** be a resident of ELANCO, Conestoga Valley, or Pequea Valley School Districts.
11. All candidates **MUST** have a chaperone for the evening of the ceremonies.
12. All candidates **MUST** be received **BY** Monday, September 18, 2023.
Mail entry form to New Holland Farmers Fair Queen Contest PO Box 65 New Holland, PA 17557
13. All candidates **MUST** submit a 5x7 quality (not professional) photo with their entry form.
14. All candidates **MUST** submit an essay on "What The New Holland Fair Means to My Community".
15. All candidates **MUST** attend In-Person Interview on Monday, September 25, 2023.
16. All candidates **MUST** ride in the Spectacle of Bands Parade on Wednesday, October 4 at 7:00 PM
17. All candidates **MUST** exhibit something in the New Holland Farm Show (in any department).
18. Misconduct of contestants will not be tolerated. The consequence will be immediate dismissal from the contest and the contestant will be banned from participating in future queen contests.

Duties of the New Holland Fair Queen:

1. The New Holland Fair Queen **MUST** agree to promote the New Holland Fair for one year and attend events as requested.
2. The queen and her parents are asked to attend the Volunteer Appreciation Banquet in November.
3. The queen is expected to present one Ag session at a local school of her choice.
4. The queen will receive an all-expense paid trip to the State Pa Fair Queen Contest in 2023.
5. The queen is expected to present herself in a pleasant, professional manner at all times.

Judging will consist of:

1. Personal interview
2. Knowledge and experiences with the New Holland Fair.
3. Memorized presentation of a 3-5 minute speech on "Why you should come to the New Holland Fair".
4. Written essay on "What the New Holland Fair Means to My Community".
5. Poise, appearance, neatness, and the ability to communicate.

New Holland Farmers Day Association Fair Queen Entry Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: (home) _____ (cell) _____

E-mail: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____ School: _____ Grade: _____

School Activities: _____

Extracurricular Activities: _____

Community/Church Activities: _____

Career/Future Plans: _____

What are you exhibiting in the New Holland Fair? _____

Parent(s) Name: _____

Parent /Guardian's Signature: _____

By checking the box, you agree that you have read and understand all of the RULES and Duties of the New Holland Fair Queen.