

Southern Nevada Association of PRIDE, Inc. Proudly Presents:

Youth Royalty Pageant 2013 "Super Youth: Heroes of the LGBT Youth Community"

This year, PRIDE's Youth Royalty pageant will be held on Friday, July 26, 2013, starting at 7:00pm. SNAPI is also pleased to announce that, once again, the Gay and Lesbian Center will host the Youth Royalty Pageant in Meeting Rooms D, E & F.

We are currently looking for contestants for the following Royalty titles:

Miss Las Vegas PRIDE Youth 2013 Mr. Las Vegas PRIDE Youth 2013 Ms. Las Vegas PRIDE Youth 2013

Contestants must meet all of the following qualifications:

- 1. Be between the ages of 16 and 20.
- 2. Be a current resident of Clark County, Nevada.
- 3. Be willing and able to commit to all community activities and show your support.
- 4. Be willing and able to volunteer for charity work in our community.
- 5. Conduct at least one benefit show or fundraiser with proceeds going to SNAPI.
- 6. Have reliable transportation to and from PRIDE functions.

The following individuals may compete for PRIDE's Youth Royalty titles:

- Mr. Las Vegas PRIDE Youth -any male, FtM transsexual, or drag king
- Miss Las Vegas PRIDE Youth -any drag queen
- Ms. Las Vegas PRIDE Youth -any female or MtF transsexual

For questions, please contact the Pageant Committee at Pageant@lasvegasPRIDE.org.

Youth Royalty Pageant General Rules & Regulations

Friday, July 26, 2013

- 1. Contestants must be between 16 and 20 years old. Contestants under 18 years old on Friday, July 26, 2013, must have a signed statement of permission by a parent or legal guardian.
- 2. Judging for PRIDE's Youth Royalty Pageant will be based on the total number of points in four categories. Scoring sheets can be found on lasvegasPRIDE.org. Any ties will be broken by the contestant with the highest talent score.
- 3. Contestants will be judged in the following categories: Costume/Superhero Wear, Question & Answer, Talent, and Formal Wear/Final Presentation.
- 4. Talent presentations will be limited to six (6) minutes. Prop set-up and tear down will be limited to three (3) minutes. Talent presentations will be timed. Presentations running longer than six minutes will have five points deducted from their final score for every minute over six minutes.
- 5. Any type of talent presentation is acceptable, except those that may cause injury to the audience or any other person. Excessive glitter, fire, water, live animals, or reptiles may not be used in any talent presentation. Music on CD must be turned in by 6:00pm, Friday, July 26, 2013, at the mandatory registration meeting at The Center. You should have your talent music recorded as Track 1 on your CD. Note: Please do not place any other music on your CD. It is not recommended that contestants use commercial CDs which have multiple tracks.
- 6. The use or dispensing of illegal drugs or marijuana will not be tolerated at PRIDE's Youth Royalty Pageant. <u>Immediate disqualification will result for any individual who violates this rule.</u>
- 7. Any contestant who is not in the appointed place at the appointed time will lose points on their final judging scores.
- 8. Any contestant, contestant's dancer(s), helper(s), etc. who is/are caught in the act of stealing or tampering with another person's possessions will be immediately disqualified and removed from the location of the pageant.
- 9. Only contestants and one (1) dresser/helper will be allowed entry to the changing room/staging area.
- 10. SNAPI reserves all rights, including the right to make any decision concerning any matter not covered by these rules and regulations. The Youth Pageant Coordinator will confer with the Pageant Committee and the Board of Directors before making any decision concerning rules and regulations.

Youth Royalty Pageant General Information

- The pageant will be held on Friday, July 26, 2013, at the Las Vegas Gay and Lesbian Center. A mandatory meeting for all contestants will be held at 6:00pm. The pageant will start at 7:00pm.
- There is no entry fee for this pageant.
- Applications can be mailed to:

Southern Nevada Association of PRIDE, Inc.

Attn. Youth Royalty Pageant

4001 S. Decatur Blvd. #37-540

Las Vegas, NV 89013

- Please include a current photo with your application. The deadline for all applications is Wednesday, July 24, 2013. You may mail your application or hand-deliver it to Cameron Catton at The Center.
- A mandatory meeting will be held at 6:00pm on Friday, July 26, 2013, at The Center. At this meeting, contestants will submit their Costume/Superhero and Formalwear Information Sheets. Please print neatly so the hosts can read your information correctly. We will not accept any information sheets after this mandatory meeting.
- Any contestant who does not attend the mandatory meeting will not be able to
 participate in PRIDE's Youth Royalty Pageant. Please make prior arrangements to be off
 from your job, if needed. This meeting is mandatory and must be attended by all
 pageant contestants in order to review all pageant guidelines and information. Please
 be professional!
- PRIDE's Youth Royalty Pageant will begin promptly at 7:00pm. Doors will open at 6:30pm. Contestants should arrive by 5:30pm and report to the dressing area in Meeting Room C.
- Any questions should be addressed to the Youth Pageant Coordinator prior to the start
 of the pageant, or submitted to pageant@lasvegaspride.org.
- Contestants should adhere to the following time schedule on the day of the pageant:
 - o 5:30pm: Contestants Report to The Center
 - o 6:00pm: Mandatory Meeting for Contestants
 - 6:30pm: Doors open for friends and family
 - o 7:00pm: Begin Pageant

Pageant Committee Notes

The following are notes from the Pageant Committee that all contestants must read and understand. We would like to see this pageant run on a professional level. We want this to be an event we can all be proud of. If you have any questions, please ask the Youth Pageant Coordinator any time before the pageant or at the contestant meeting. Please be professional and on time, and most of all, have fun and enjoy yourselves!

- This will be a fast-paced pageant. As soon as you are done with your first category, you need to be backstage changing for the next category. There will only be 1 or 2 guest performers between categories (approximately 8 minutes).
- Please pick your dresser/helper wisely. This person will help you do everything. There is little room backstage so preplan what you're going to do.
- This pageant is not going to wait on you! If you miss your call time, you will be scratched. NO EXCUSES.
- Dressing area: The Center has limited electrical outlets. Consider bringing a power strip if you have multiple items that need to be plugged in. If you will be applying makeup, you may wish to consider having a lighted mirror.
- You will be given a general lineup at the mandatory meeting. We are not able to post exact performance times due to the nature of the pageant. We will keep the pageant moving as quickly as possible.
- The first guest performer will take the stage at 7:00pm. The first category will begin immediately after the guest performer.

Please preplan all of your dress, makeup, and hair changes. Please get organized and be professional. We wish all contestants the best of luck!

Pageant Committee
Southern Nevada Association of PRIDE, Inc.

Southern Nevada Association of PRIDE, Inc. PRIDE Youth Royalty Pageant Contestant Application

Legal Name:
Stage Name:
Home Address:
City:, Nevada Zip Code:
Email Address:
Home Phone #: Cell Phone #:
Age: Birthday:
Title you wish to compete for (check one): () Miss () Mr. () Ms.
Have you ever entered a pageant before? () Yes () No
If yes, please list the pageant(s) as well as any titles you have won:
Why do you want to compete in PRIDE's Youth Royalty Pageant?
What would you do if you win the title you are competing for?
What can you do with your title within our community to make a difference?

Commitment and Obligations

Part of winning a title in PRIDE's Youth Royalty Pageant is committing to certain obligations that come with this title. You are the face of Southern Nevada Association of PRIDE, Inc. Our royalty must represent the community with PRIDE. We require that every title holder come out and support all community events like the AIDS Walk, PRIDE Festival, PRIDE Family Bingo, etc... It is very important that you show up and be very supportive of all of the many events planned throughout the entire year of your reign.

Please read and fill in the blank with your nan community if you are a title holder for SNAPI'	ne. This is the commitment you will give to this s 2013 royalty.
to represent our community at the many plar	fully understand that I am to make a commitment
	am also aware that at any given time and for any emove me from my title. I understand that I will day of the pageant (sash, crown, and/or
Name:	Date:
Signature:	
If under 18, you must have a parent or legal g	uardian sign this application.
Parent Name:	Date:
Signature:	
and any photos taken during the pageant bec records and/or placed on SNAPI's website and applications are due to the Youth Pageant Co	ordinator by Wednesday, July 24, 2013.
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	Photo Included? (_) yes (_) no () Approved () Not Approved

PRIDE Youth Royalty Pageant

Formal Wear/Final Presentation Contestant Information Sheet

Due Friday, July 26, 2013 @ 6:00pm

Name:
Please describe your Formal Wear:
Designed by:
Hair by:
Make Up Artist:
Jewelry:
Shoes:
Special Thanks to:

PRIDE Youth Royalty Pageant Costume/Superhero Wear Contestant Information Sheet

Due Friday, July 26, 2013 @ 6:00pm

Name:
Superhero Name:
Super Power:
Please describe your Superhero costume:
How would you use your Super Power to benefit the LGBT Youth Community?*

^{*}This question will be your on-stage Question & Answer question. Please be prepared to answer this question aloud before the judges.