

**PASCO COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION, INC.**  
**2012 MISS HEART OF FLORIDA PAGEANT**  
**Rules & Regulations**

The 22<sup>nd</sup> annual Miss Heart of Florida Pageant is being sponsored by the PASCO COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION and is open to young ladies between the ages of six (6) and seventeen (17). The Pageant will be held on Friday, February 24<sup>th</sup>, 2012.

**ENTRY FEE MUST ACCOMPANY THE ENTRY FORM, NON-REFUNDABLE.**

Entry forms submitted before January 30, 2012, \$35.00 entry fee.

Entry forms submitted after January 30, 2012 and before February 19, 2012, \$45.00 entry fee.

NO ENTRY FORMS ACCEPTED AFTER FEBRUARY 19, 2012.

Entry form must be signed by both contestant and parent.

1. Contestants must be between the ages of six (6) and seventeen (17) inclusive as of February 19, 2012.
2. Contestants must be single, never been married or pregnant.
3. Contestants must be of good moral character and never have been convicted of a crime.
4. Contestants must have resided within the county of Pasco for the past six (6) months.
5. Contestants must furnish their own apparel. Requirements are as follows:

Group 1: Tiny Miss Heart of Florida - Ages 6 - 8

Must wear short or tea length dress. NO MAKE-UP, BLEACHED OR DYED HAIR & NO HAIRPIECES.

Group 2: Young Miss Heart of Florida - Ages 9 - 10

Must wear short or long, AGE-APPROPRIATE dress.  
LIP GLOSS is acceptable.  
NO BLEACHED OR DYED HAIR OR HAIRPIECES.

Group 3: Jr. Miss Heart of Florida - Ages 11-12

Must wear age-appropriate dress.  
A light foundation, light blush, very light lipstick.  
NO BLEACHED OR DYED HAIR OR HAIRPIECES.

Group 4: Teen Miss Heart of Florida - Ages 13 - 14

Very light face make-up; dress MUST BE AGE APPROPRIATE

Group 5: Miss Heart of Florida - Ages 15 - 17

Must wear long, age-appropriate dress. Face make-up done in good taste, hair coloring to fit the young lady's age.

**NO gloves or hats for any age group.**

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6. NO CELL PHONES OR MOTHERS WILL BE ALLOWED BACKSTAGE AT ANY TIME FOR ANY REASON BEFORE OR DURING THE PAGEANT.
7. The Pasco County Fair Association will request the winners of each group to participate in promotional activities when asked. Each winner will be asked to ride in the following: Homecoming Parade, October, 2012; Dade City Christmas Parade, December, 2012; and the Pasco County Fair Parade, February, 2013 provided the float will be available. Assist at the annual Fair Appreciation Dinner, April, 2012, and any other event deemed necessary by the Pasco County Fair Association.
8. Contestants will not be allowed to perform modeling poses or modeling walks.
9. A contestant who currently holds a Miss Heart title must "give up" their title and wait a year before competing for another Miss Heart title.
10. Each titleholder will abide by the Agreement which will be signed upon crowning.
11. **MANDATORY practice dates:**
  - Sunday, February 12<sup>th</sup> - 2 p.m. - photographing \*\*\* contestants for program book & rehearsal.
  - Sunday, February 19<sup>th</sup> - 1 p.m. - dress rehearsal - dress and shoes to be worn at pageant  
must be worn at rehearsal.

**\*\*\*Headshot only and the only day pictures will be taken.**

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