

Otero County Fair and Rodeo Queen Contract

This contract and agreement is entered into by and between the Otero County Fair and Rodeo Committee and the contestant.

Whereas the contestant is desirous of representing the Otero County Fair and Rodeo and the County of Otero, and whereas the Committee is desirous of having said contestant represent her title at various events around the County, it is hereby agreed that:

1. The Contestant understands that by signing this contract and the Expectation Statement that she is committing herself to the title of Otero County Fair and Rodeo Queen. This is to include one (1) year as the titleholder. During this entire period, she shall conduct herself with dignity and ethical behavior befitting the title. She understands that she will be living in the public eye for this period of time and will be a role model. She should always be attired in accordance with what she is doing in public, to include "time off", and must conduct herself in a professional and moral manner.
2. The Committee shall furnish a crown and buckle, and other awards as is feasible, but shall offer NO financial assistance, nor will it assume financial responsibility for reimbursement of said contestant for expenses incurred by her during her reign.
3. The Contestant agrees to attend the following events as part of her duties as Otero County Fair and Rodeo Queen: (including but not limited to)
 - *Fair Parade
 - *Christmas Parade
 - *Fourth of July Parade
 - *Cottonwood Festival
 - *State Fair Queen Contest
 - *The County Fair Events
 - *Kiwaniis Pancake Breakfast
 - *First National Bank Popcorn Friday
 - *Any other events requested by the Committee
4. The Contestant agrees to provide information on what she has done during her reign. This information shall be used for future contacts and to ensure the legitimacy of the Otero County Fair and Rodeo Committee.
5. It is agreed that should the contestant fail to attend the required events and fulfill the duties of the Otero County Fair and Rodeo, bring embarrassment or negative attention to the Committee, she shall be in danger of losing her title and any prizes awarded thereof.

6. The Committee reserves the right to the title of Otero County Fair and Rodeo Queen. If the contestant wishes to use her title in some form of media other than the official avenues she must get approval from the Committee in order to protect the Committee, all outside media items, other than interviews, shall get prior approval from the Committee. This is to include websites, articles, and news releases.

7. It is agreed that failure to follow this contract or to conduct herself in any way not befitting the title of Otero County Fair and Rodeo Queen, said titleholder will be asked to relinquish her title. If it comes to the attention of the Committee that said Contestant has participated in activities that could be negative to the reputation of the Committee, either prior to or after the contest, she may be asked to relinquish the title and awards immediately.

I VERIFY THAT I HAVE READ THE FOREGOING CONTRACT AND STATEMENTS; ALL OF THE FOREGOING STATEMENTS ARE TRUE. I AGREE TO ABIDE BY THESE RULES GOVERNING MY TENURE AS OTERO COUNTY FAIR AND RODEO QUEEN.

_____ Date _____
 Otero County Fair and Rodeo Queen

_____ Date _____
 Parent (if a minor)

_____ Date _____
 Committee Chair

_____ Date _____
 Witness

