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#### Dear Contestant,

The pageant is quickly approaching, and we hope you're looking forward to a great pageant! Included in this packet you will find:

- · A pageant itinerary
- A letter regarding the parent ZOOM meeting
- Information regarding the Top 5 (TEEN) and Top 3 (MISS) interview and a form for your contestant question. Please bring the form with your contestant question to registration!
- Ticket Information
- Order forms to purchase a pageant DVD and/or photos.
- Order form for a Customized Tumbler
- A link to purchase Contestant Buttons (a great way for your fans to show support or a souvenir
  of your pageant experience). The deadline for ordering Contestant Buttons is June 14th. Order
  here: http://www.misskansasusa.com/finalpacket

There will be a Pageant ZOOM Orientation for Contestants and Parents on June 13, 2023, at 7:00 pm. John Vannatta, the Executive State Director, will go over details about the pageant, the scoring procedure, and introduce you to other staff and pageant volunteers. A link to the Zoom meeting is below.

#### https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81572267168?pwd=Zy9iWHdhdnVPWDArTjVFUHVNQWc0Zz09

The actual pageant is being held at The Polsky Theatre on the campus of Johnson County Community College in Overland Park, KS, and the contestants are staying at the Courtyard Marriott Overland Park Hotel. Please remember, you will be paired with another contestant and your room will be provided for Saturday night. Family and friends may stay at the Courtyard Marriott Hotel, but they are responsible for making their own arrangements. To book rooms for family and friends, go to misskansasusa.com and you will find a link to the hotel website. Please carefully review the weekend itinerary. If you have any questions, call or email the pageant office. You will need to be at registration between 9:00 am - 9:30 am on Saturday, June 17th. Please arrive with hair/make-up complete and dressed ready for an official headshot photo immediately following Registration. You will also record a video introduction to be played during the pageant shows. You will store any luggage in a secure, designated room until contestant overnight rooms are available. As always, if you have a conflict with the arrival/registration time, please contact us as soon as possible.

We are looking forward to discovering who will become the next Miss Kansas USA and Miss Kansas Teen USA for 2023! Don't hesitate to contact us with any questions prior to your departure for the pageant. You should be very proud of yourself for stepping out of your comfort zone and taking on this challenge. We will see you at the Courtyard Marriot Hotel. LET THE ADVENTURE BEGIN!

Regards,

John, Jason, Jennifer, Karen, and Sherri

# MISS KANSAS USA® & MISS KANSAS TEEN USA® 2023 PAGEANT ITINERARY

SATURDAY, JUNE 17, 2023				
9:00 – 9:30 am	Registration at:  Courtyard Marriot Hotel  11301 Metcalf Avenue  Overland Park, KS 66210  (913) 339-9900	Please arrive with Hair/Makeup complete and ready for Headshot photo immediately following Registration. You will store your luggage in holding room at the Host Hotel.		
Following	Individual Headshot and Video Intro. Attire: A solid black top with black or blue denim jeans			
Registration	with coordinating shoes and earrings			
11:30 am	Shuttle to The Polsky Theatre	Take ALL items needed for Presentation Show. Wardrobe, make-up, etc.		
12:00 pm	Lunch at Theater	The Polsky Theatre		
1:00 pm	Contestant Rehearsal			
2:30 pm	Dress Rehearsal			
5:00 pm	Dinner and Prepare for Show			
6:45 pm	Report to Wings Ready for Show	Theater backstage area		
7:00 pm	2023 MISS KANSAS USA and MISS KANSAS TEEN USA PRESENTATION SHOW	Ticketed Event – The Polsky Theatre 12345 College Blvd Overland Park, KS 66210 (913) 469-4445		
	Return to Host Hotel and check into rooms			
	Room CheckGoodnight!			

SUNDAY, JUNE 18, 2023				
6:30 am	Breakfast available			
8:30 am	TEEN Interviews	Courtyard Marriott Hotel meeting room. Arrive		
	MISS Interviews	at time listed on packet for Interview Prep.		
11:30 am	Shuttle to Theatre. All contestants must be checked out of rooms.			
12:00 pm	Lunch at Theatre	The Polsky Theatre		
12:45 pm	Rehearsal			
2:30 pm	Dress Rehearsal			
5:00 pm	Dinner and Prepare for Show			
6:45 pm	Report to wings ready for show			
7:00 pm	2023 MISS KANSAS USA and MISS	Ticketed Event –		
	KANSAS TEEN USA CORONATION	The Polsky Theatre		
	SHOW	12345 College Blvd		
		Overland Park, KS 66210		
		(913) 469-4445		
	Crowning of MISS KANSAS USA and	Finalists in each age division to remain on stage for		
	MISS KANSAS TEEN USA	photos. All other contestants are released.		

SUBJECT TO CHANGE – Always check with chaperones for updated locations & times

**SEE NOTES ON NEXT PAGE** 

#### NOTES:

Be sure to label all of your belongings. Do **NOT** take any towels from the hotel to the theater. Bring along your own towels and any necessities to keep at theater.

On Sunday morning, one female may meet you at your hotel room to pick up any luggage or belongings **not needed** at the Theater. However, please respect your roommate's privacy as well.

All contestants are released **following their Coronation Show**. **No one is allowed on-stage, backstage, or dressing area**, but you may meet your family at the stage door to help carry your belongings. The pageant staff no longer accepts responsibility for transportation after the coronation show.

Newly crowned titleholders will be required to stay at the hotel Sunday night and meet with the pageant directors Monday morning and have their first official photo shoot. Hair and make-up will be provided. Please bring your gown and interview suit. The photo shoot will end around noon on Monday and is NOT optional. One hotel room for the Miss winner and one room for the Teen winner will be provided by Vanbros on Sunday night.

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#### Dear Parent,

You are invited to attend a Contestant and Parent ZOOM Orientation on Tuesday, June 13, 2023, at 7:00 pm. John Vannatta, the Executive Director of the Miss Kansas USA and Miss Kansas Teen USA Pageant, will conduct the meeting and discuss the competition, the program, and answer any of your questions.

This is a great opportunity to get to know the directors and meet other parents. It's also a good way to learn about the judging procedures and what to expect if your daughter is selected as Miss Kansas USA or Miss Kansas Teen USA for 2023. Attending the meeting is optional, but we encourage you to attend, if possible. A link to the Zoom meeting is below.

#### https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81572267168?pwd=Zy9iWHdhdnVPWDArTjVFUHVNQWc0Zz09

Thank you for the continued support of your daughter and this program. Our contestants are stepping out of their comfort zones to make a difference in other people's lives and their own. Please applaud them for their efforts, and always give them positive encouragement.

Regards,

Vanbros and Associates Staff

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#### Dear Contestant,

This is a recap of how finals night will unfold. As the pageant progresses past preliminary competition, the field of contestants will be narrowed to our group of semifinalists, and then 5 finalists in TEEN and 3 finalists in MISS. The semifinalists will compete in Swimsuit (MISS) or Athletic Wear (TEEN) and Evening Gown competitions in order to narrow the field to our finalists. The final contestants will then participate in an on-stage interview competition. Each of the Teen and Miss finalists will receive 2 questions.

First, they will receive a "contestant question." Each of you will need to submit a question that you would like to ask of a finalist. You should bring your question to registration and turn it in then. Be sure to include your name and title on your question. The staff will review the questions and select questions in each age division.

On final night, each of the finalists will draw one question to answer. You will be told which of your fellow contestants submitted the question. If you happen to choose your own question, simply select another. Please give due consideration to the question you ask. This is your chance to participate in determining what questions the finalists will have to answer.

The second question to be asked will be the traditional "judge's question." Each of the five judges will submit a random question, and each of the finalists will randomly draw one of the judges' questions that they will then answer.

This process will be explained again during orientation, so if you have questions feel free to ask for clarification at that time. In the meantime, please think about various questions and formulate opinions; but speak from your own heart with your own words! Also, please don't forget to write a question that you want asked to one of the finalists. Be sure to label it with your name and your title.

Have fun, and Good Luck!

John M. Vannatta, Jr.- Co-Executive Director

# **CONTESTANT QUESTION**

Please fill out with your name, title and question for the top 5. You will need to bring this form with you to the pageant and turn in at registration.

Thank you!

Teen Contestant:	Miss Contestant:
Name:	
Title:	
QUESTION:	

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# 2023 MISS KANSAS USA MISS KANSAS TEEN USA

JUNE 17-18, 2023
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# PRESENTATION SHOW

SATURDAY, JUNE 17, 2023 7:00 PM

All Contestants will will be featured in an Opening Fashion Runway Introduction and compete in the Preliminary Active Wear(TEEN)/Swimsuit (MISS) and Preliminary Evening Gown Competitions.

# **CORONATION SHOW**

SUNDAY, JUNE 18, 2023 7:00 PM

All Contestants will be featured in an Opening Fashion Runway Introduction. Contestants with the highest composite scores from the Preliminary Interview, Active Wear/Swimsuit, and Evening Gown Competitions will be announced as Semi-Finalists and compete in the Semi-Final Active Wear/Swimsuit and Semi-Final Gown Competitions narrowing the field to a Top 5 (TEEN) and Top 3 (MISS). After the Top 5 and Top 3 On Stage Interviews, we will say farewell to our reigning titleholders, present some special awards, and crown Miss Kansas USA 2023 and Miss Kansas Teen USA 2023.

# misskansasusa.com/tickets

To purchase live webcast tickets go to pageantvision.com



2023 Miss Kansas USA

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# Miss Kansas USA & Miss Kansas Teen USA Pageant PHOTO DISC ORDER FORM

The disc of ALL photos from the pageant weekend. This includes registration headshot, interview, and competition photos from Prelims and Finals. To receive \$175 CD price, you must pay in full at pageant. After competition weekend, the CD price is \$200.

<b>I would like to purchas</b> (\$200 after pageant)	e the CD of all page	ant weekend photos for \$175		
<b>I would like my photos</b> (\$210 after pageant)	on a USB Flash Driv	re for \$185		
Name of Contestant:				
Title:				
Address:				
City:	State:	Zip Code:		
Phone:	Email:			
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Venmo (payable to @William-Patterson-50)				
Check (payable to Wi	ll Patterson)			
Photos of Entire Pageant W	/eekend			

CD: \$175 (during pageant weekend) \$200 (after pageant weekend) **USB Flash Drive:** \$185 (during pageant weekend) \$210 (after pageant weekend)

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