

Applications for 70th St. Mary's County Queen of Tolerance

The St. Mary's County Fair Association is accepting applications for the 70th St. Mary's Queen of Tolerance Contest. The Queen of Tolerance and her Court will reign over the St. Mary's County Fair being held September 22-25, 2016. The Queen will receive a \$1,000.00 Tuition Scholarship; First Runner-Up will receive a \$500.00 Tuition Scholarship; and, the Second Runner-Up will receive a \$300.00 Tuition Scholarship.

The **entry form below** must be mailed to Mrs. Debbie Brookins, 23091 Coralberry Way, California, MD 20619 no later than **September 4, 2016**.

On **Sunday, September 11, 2016**, a panel of judges will interview the applicants and will select the Queen as well as her Court for the **coronation ceremony to be held on Thursday, September 22, 2016**. The Queen will be selected on the basis of scholastic achievement, extra-curricular activities, poise, appearance, interview and presentation.

All contestants must meet the following requirements:

- Must be an unmarried female and a resident of St. Mary's County for at least three years
- Must be sponsored by an educational organization
- Must be a Senior at a St. Mary's County High School who plans to continue her education; or, a freshman at the College of Southern Maryland during the school year 2016 who commutes daily from her high school
- Must be a student in good standing, with a 3.5 or better grade point average (**school transcripts required**)
- Entry form **must be signed by a school official** at the last school attended
- Entries must be accompanied by a **personal resume** and a **photograph** (picture may not be returned)
- **Must be present at the judging which will be held Sunday, September 11, 2016 at the St. Mary's County Fairgrounds**

Name _____

Address _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Age _____

Email _____

Sponsoring Organization _____

This is to certify _____ is a student of good standing, with a GPA of 3.5 or better.

School Official Signature: _____

All reasonable precautions will be taken to provide for the safety of all participants; but, the Fair Association shall not be responsible for injury to any persons.

I will not hold the St. Mary's County Fair Association liable for any accident or injury, which may occur to me while participating in the St. Mary's County Fair.

Signature (Participant): _____

I will not hold the St. Mary's County Fair Association liable for any accident or injury, which may occur to my child while participating in the St. Mary's County Fair.

Signature (Parent/Guardian): _____