



2021 Little Miss Pumpkin Fest

In observance of the 10th anniversary of the Boykins Pumpkin Festival, a Little Miss Pumpkin Fest will be crowned as part of the opening of the festival. Rules are shown below and entry forms can be obtained on the Town's Website or a hard copy from the Town Office.

1. Opening ceremonies for the festival will begin promptly at 10:00 am on October 23 immediately followed by the pageant at 10:30.
2. Contestants must be between the ages of 4 – 6, attaining 4 years old by pageant date.
3. Registered contestants must arrive by 9:45 and come directly to the staging area to be set up in the town's police office. Designated parking will be set up for parents of contestants as the street will be closed for the festival.
4. Completed application packets must be received or postmarked by October 1; late entries will not be eligible to participate.
5. Entries must be accompanied by a 5x7 black & white photo (head shot), a signed release form authorizing the committee to publish the photo and a non-refundable entry fee of \$10, made payable to Town of Boykins.
6. Contestants will be judged in two categories with a short entertainment break between the two to allow for costume change:
 - a. Patriotic outfit/costume/play wear to commemorate the theme of this year's festival (contestants should arrive dressed in this outfit to be ready for first appearance)
 - b. Long gown/dress – each will be asked one question as they are introduced in their gowns.
7. Judges will be retained from out of the area and their decisions final.
8. One 1st Runner Up will be chosen and will receive a sash and a bouquet.
9. One Little Miss Pumpkin Fest 2021 will be chosen and will receive a sash, a bouquet and crown.
10. Little Miss Pumpkin Fest winner will be expected to remain at the Festival as she will be introduced several times during the day and will lead a costume parade at 2 PM.

Completed Application includes:

- Contestant Application
- Black & white head shot phot 5x7
- Photo Release Form
- \$10.00 Entry Fee
- **Received or postmarked by 10/1**

Mail entry packets to Town of Boykins
18206 Virginia Ave Boykins, VA 23827

Submit by Town Website at
townofboykinsva.com