

Miss Livingston Roundup Official Application

Coronation July 4th, 2023

Application Deadline May 1, 2023

Mail to
Carla Williams, Director
Livingston
Roundup Queen's Contest
P.O. Box 800
Livingston, MT 59047

Contact Carla Williams, Queen Director at
406-220-2484 or
Claree Tecca at 406-223-0309 with any questions

Miss Livingston Roundup Queen Contest Eligibility

1. Queen contestants shall be between the ages of 17 and 24 as of May 1st of the current year. Contestants must supply a birth certificate photocopy as proof.
2. Queen contestants must hold a current driver's license.
3. Contestants must be single (as in never have been married or pregnant) and must agree to remain so for the duration of her reign, in the event she wins Miss Livingston Roundup (MLR).
4. Contestants must never have been charged and/or determined to have committed any crime of moral turpitude, convicted of any offense, (other than minor traffic offenses) nor have had a title removed for any reason.
5. Contestants must grant permission to the MLR Contest to verify any and all information contained on the official contest application and supporting documents.
6. Contestants must have a western wardrobe for all pageant functions.
7. Contestants must agree to abide by these and all other Pageant rules, recognizing the possibility of disqualification for infractions thereof.
8. MLR winner must have a horse available to her for her reign if needed. She must also have reliable transportation, adequate liability insurance, and medical insurance. She must be able to travel throughout the state representing the Livingston Roundup Rodeo.
9. MLR must be willing to sign an agreement for her year of reign and abide by its rules.
10. The winner must represent the Livingston Roundup for her reign. If she would like to compete in the Miss Rodeo Montana Pageant, the LRA will support her by assisting with a fundraising gala, pageant prep, and more.

11. Contestants must have executed all consents and/or waivers of liability presented as conditions precedent to competition.
12. The LRA reserves the right to refuse a candidate's application.
13. Contestants must not have held a State Title of any other national pageant.
14. All contestants must ride in the slack performance June 30th and July 1st and the rodeo performances July 2nd – July 4th.
15. All contestants must be able to ride at the Wilsall, Gardiner, and Big Timber Parades, preceding the Livingston Roundup, and are expected to participate in the clinics and the Kiddie Rodeo prior to competition. Dates will be announced at a later date.
16. Application pictures must be as follows: One 8 x 10 color head and shoulder (vertical) and 2 wallet-sized black and white. They can be the same photo. IMPORTANT: If there are any copyright labels or stamps on the back of your pictures, you need written permission from your photographer for LRA to use your photo for publicity: you need to include this with your application. Title holders may use their official photo. You must wear western attire including a cowboy hat. Please note: these will not be the pictures judged for the photogenic award. These photos will be taken by our LRA Photographer on a date set by LRA.
17. Contestant's application packet, due by May 1st, 2023 (can be turned in earlier), must include:
 - a. Official Application - Completely Filled out, Initialed/Signed, Notarized
 - b. Application Photos
 - c. Photocopy of Birth Certificate
 - d. Photocopy of Montana Driver's License
 - e. Photocopy of Medical Insurance Card
18. Return to: Livingston Roundup Queen Contest, Carla Williams,
PO BOX 800, Livingston, MT 59047

Miss Livingston Roundup Queen Contest Rules

1. From the time the competition starts, contestants must abide by all of the Contest Rules.
2. Judges have the final say on all scoring decisions.
3. Contestants must be prompt and on time for all functions. Please plan ahead. Tardiness will not be tolerated. If you are not 15 minutes early, you are late.
4. Speeches are to be 1.5 minutes long (90 seconds). No notes or props are permitted. This will be in accordance with MRM speech guidelines. Each contestant will be given a series of speech topics to choose from and will have 10 minutes to prepare the speech.
5. Horsemanship competition will consist of two go-grounds, on two different horses, one pattern chosen by the judges from the three included in the contest rules, and one rail class. Drawing for horses will take place at the horsemanship competition.
6. There will be a written test administered during the competition. Each contestant is expected to be knowledgeable in all areas associated with a rodeo queen's duties throughout her reign. Including but not limited to: PRCA rules and regulations, AQHA guidelines, basic animal health, MRA and MRM-related information, and WPRA knowledge.
7. This contest follows the guidelines of the Miss Rodeo Montana rules, with guidance from the Miss Rodeo Montana Board. Miss Livingston Roundup will attempt to attend as many PRCA rodeos in our state and appear at parades or Kiddie Rodeos as different committees are sponsoring as possible.
8. The incoming Miss Livingston Roundup will represent the LRA in a professional manner. **There will be no use of ANY alcohol or tobacco product by any contestant during the contest or while representing the LRA.**

9. During the contest there will be silent judges present. Conduct yourself in an appropriate manner at all times.
10. The MLR dress code will be strictly adhered to for each function. Additional event dress regulations and guidelines will be given to each contestant.
11. Parents and relatives are encouraged to attend! LRA welcomes all and wants to make this an enjoyable time for everyone involved. However, parents, relatives, friends, coaches, etc. may not interfere with the judges in any way. Interference may cause the contestant's disqualification.
12. On judging day, parents and friends will not be allowed in the back gate area. Visitors must find seating, preferably in the Grandstands. You are expected to say your "goodbyes" before you enter the rodeo ground back gate area and prepare your horse for competition. LRA will supply assistance in changing saddles for you during the competition between patterns.
13. Contestants will conduct themselves in an appropriate manner. If inappropriate behavior occurs, in the opinion of the judges, you may be disqualified from the competition.

In the event the contestant chosen as Miss Livingston Roundup is not able to fulfill her duties as deemed by the LRA she must return any awards and make compensation for monetary awards received, and all future appearance dates will be canceled. The LRA Board of Directors reserve the right to determine if a successor will be named, and if so, who that will be.

Contestant Signature _____

Date: _____

MLR Queen's Director Signature _____

Date: _____

LOSS OF TITLE AND BENEFITS:

Miss Livingston Roundup **SHALL NOT!!!**

1. Have been previously married and/or pregnant.
2. Be charged with and/or determined to have committed any crime of moral turpitude.
3. Compete in and otherwise participate in any other beauty and/or talent contest, pageant, and/or activity; solicit, negotiate, or contract with any third person for appearance photographs, interviews, sponsorships, and/or endorsements during the year of her reign without written consent from the LRA Board.
4. Have taken any actions, which in the good faith determination of the Board of LRA, will or is reasonably likely to cause harm or damage to the goodwill or reputation of LRA.
5. Violate any provisions of the participation agreement, LRA agreement, or pageant rules and regulations.

Upon the occurrence of any of the above events, the title of Miss Livingston Roundup Queen, with any and all benefits derived by such a person, shall be forfeited.

Contestant Signature: _____

Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature(s): _____

Date: _____

Notary Public Signature: _____ Date: _____

CONTESTANT PERSONAL INFORMATION

NAME:

DATE OF BIRTH:

ADDRESS:

ZIP:

COUNTY:

PHONE:

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME:

ADDRESS:

PHONE:

PARENT/GUARDIAN NAME:

ADDRESS:

PHONE:

ADDITIONAL FAMILY MEMBERS:

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS. BE SURE TO PROOFREAD AND USE COMPLETE SENTENCES AS THE JUDGES WILL BE VIEWING THESE! USE ADDITIONAL PAPER IN NEEDED.
EDUCATION:

SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENTS:

LIFE AMBITIONS:

WHY DO YOU WANT TO BE MISS LIVINGSTON ROUNDUP?

HOBBIES AND FAVORITE SPORTS:

SPONSORS: