



RULES and REGULATIONS

- 1.) Miss Orangevale contestants must meet the following criteria:
 - Female between the ages of 16 to 21. Age is based on day of Pageant.
 - Single, never been married.
 - Never given birth.
 - Never been convicted of a felony.
 - You must live, work, or attend school in Orangevale.
 - Other titles held must not conflict with pageant duties.
 - Must have and maintain a minimum 2.0 GPA , while attending school.
 - Advance sale of 5 carnival wristbands or New *approved* Orangevale Chamber of Commerce Memberships of equal value.
 - Submit a complete application and have paid the \$50 entry fee.
 - Requirements must also be met during reign unless Board approves circumstances.
- 2.) All activities are strictly chaperoned by committee members. Family members, friends and boyfriends are NOT allowed at activities or practices. Inappropriate behavior may result in disqualification. Punctuality and appropriate apparel (discussed at orientation) are expected. Contestants are responsible for having a ride to and from practices.
- 3.) Contestants are required to advance sale of 5 carnival wristbands or New *approved* Orangevale Chamber of Commerce Memberships of equal value to qualify for judging. Contestants and their parents/guardians assume responsibility for all wristbands checked out from the chamber office. Money will be turned in at the Orangevale Chamber office no later than 5pm the previous business day before the crowning announcement.
- 4.) A panel of qualified unbiased judges will be chosen by the Orangevale Board of Directors. The pageant consists of speaking skills, essay writing, evening wear, and community involvement. Judges will choose Miss Orangevale Chamber of Commerce and Miss Hospitality to reign for one year as Goodwill Ambassadors for the Orangevale Chamber of Commerce.
- 5.) PHOTOGRAPHER/MEDIA RELEASE: In consideration of scholarships, prizes, and/or awards, I hereby give the Orangevale Chamber of Commerce permission to use my name, statement, photograph and video recordings for publicity and advertising purposes. All materials become the property of the Orangevale Chamber of Commerce and not to be used without prior authorization. This permission extends to any person, agent and or agencies, media representatives or others authorized by the Orangevale Chamber Board of Directors.
- 6.) HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT: I hereby waive any claim I may have or hereafter acquire against the Orangevale Chamber of Commerce or its agents and any person affiliated with organization for losses, injuries or damages suffered by me during any activities and the pageant itself.
- 7.) Orangevale Chamber of Commerce will award the crowned Miss Orangevale Chamber of Commerce and Miss Hospitality, runner-up, a crown, sash, and title. The Orangevale Chamber of Commerce does not promise any other prize winnings to the contestants.
- 8.) In case of an emergency, I hereby give my consent to give such attention that may be necessary by a physician and/or medical personnel.
- 9.) The Orangevale Chamber of Commerce reserves the right to adjust or change these rules at anytime with notification to all contestants.

I agree to abide by all rules, regulations and with my signature make this contract legal and binding.

Contestant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____



**REQUIRED ATTIRE and APPROPRIATE CONDUCT
(Applies to any person associated with the pageant)**

The most important aspect of being a member of the Orangevale Chamber of Commerce court is that you are a Goodwill Ambassador and required to represent the community of Orangevale with high standards. In doing so you are a very visible role model; you will be watched, admired and looked up to. It is for this reason that the following rules and guidelines have been provided and should be followed:

- Contestants are not permitted to drink alcoholic beverages or smoke prior to during or after any activity. Random drug testing will be in effect if deemed necessary.
- Dresses, skirts and suits are appropriate attire for chamber functions. One set of earrings to be wore a time. All tattoos and other piercings MUST be covered. Bare midriffs are not permitted and short/skirts MUST be at appropriate fingertip hemline.
- As a Goodwill Ambassador for the Orangevale Chamber and the community, you should display the best of etiquette at all times and in all places. This includes both personal and social websites. You are a role model for young children who will admire you. Your role is very important and by winning you are forever a part of Orangevale's history and future.
- Any problems that arise should be discussed with the Pageant Chair and the Board of Directors. We are concerned for your well-being and want to help make your year fulfilling as possible. This is a once in a lifetime opportunity, you should make the most of your year!


I do hereby agree to abide by the duties, responsibilities, required attire, appropriate conduct, rules and regulations associated therewith and I further agree to:

- Cooperate with the Orangevale Chamber of Commerce, the Pageant Chair and/or their appointed representatives during my reign and throughout the process of the pageant.
- Keep scheduled appointments and appearances requiring my presence in a prompt and timely manner. If I unable to attend or I am late, I will contact the Pageant Chair and the Orangevale Chamber office.
- Will provide a copy of my most recent school transcript with my completed application.
- Most importantly, I will serve as a positive role model and Goodwill Ambassador and I will conduct myself at all times in a manner that will not dishonor my title or community and I will wear my crown proudly with dignity and grace.

I have read the Rules and Regulations and the Required Attire and Appropriate Conduct guidelines and agree to abide by the same. I fully understand that should I, in the opinion of the Orangevale Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors, fail to fulfill the duties required of me, I will forfeit my title, as well as all rights to prizes and awards received by me in association with or as a result of the Miss Orangevale pageant and that I will be required to return these items to the Orangevale Chamber of Commerce.

Contestant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

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2012 APPLICATION

Name: _____ D.O.B. _____
Address: _____ Home Phone: _____
Cell Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____
School: _____ Grade Level: _____ GPA: _____
Employer: _____ Phone: _____

What do you enjoy most about Orangevale: _____

Special Interests/Awards/Hobbies: _____


Why would you like to be Miss Orangevale Chamber of Commerce: _____

If crowned what will you do to impact the Orangevale Community: _____

To complete the application process each contestant must submit an application, two letters of recommendation (including contact information), the specified entry fee, a copy of most recent school transcripts and advance sale of 5 carnival wristbands or New *approved* Orangevale Chamber of Commerce Memberships of equal value; one business day prior to the crowning announcement.

I, _____ hereby deem my information to be true and have read and understand the Rules and Regulations and the Required Attire and Appropriate Conduct.
Contestant Signature: _____ Date: _____
Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

If under 18 please have a legal guardian complete the following section:
Guardian's name: _____ Home Phone: _____
Email: _____ Cell Phone: _____

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