

All entrants to the Fairest of the Fair must be actual residents and domiciled in White County, Tennessee, or be a student in White County Schools. Actual resident is defined as an individual living on property assessed to White County by the White County Tax Assessor's Office. Notwithstanding the foregoing, applicants temporarily attending college or vocational school with the intent to return to their home in White County are considered residents of the county for purposes of this contest. In cases of joint custody one parent/guardian must be a White County resident, and the contestant must attend a White County School in order to qualify for pageant entry.

••FAIREST OF THE FAIR••

The deadline for entering these pageants is August 20, 2022.

Applications will be available at the White County Agricultural Complex on Saturday, August 13 or Saturday, August 20 from 8:30 A.M. to 12:00 NOON. A \$10.00 entry fee (cash) will be due along with the completed application and must be submitted in person (parent/guardian) at the Agricultural Complex. Online registration will be available from Saturday, August 13, 2022 at 8:00 a.m. to Saturday, August 20, 2022, at 12:00 Noon. Online applications will be available at www.whitecountyagfair.com

These contests will be an annual event of the White County Fair for the purpose of providing young and pre-teenage, and teenage girls the opportunity to compete in a beauty pageant and encourage contestants to later participate in the Junior Miss, Fair Princess, and Fairest of the Fair Pageants. The contest will provide additional attractions for the opening night pageantry festivities. This contest is co-sponsored by the White County Fair Association and the Tennessee Association of Fairs. A state-wide contest will be held in Murfreesboro in conjunction with the annual meeting of the Association in January 2023.

Rules:

1. Each contestant must have reached her 16th birthday but not her 21st birthday on or before December 31, 2022.
2. A contestant cannot qualify if she has ever been married, had a child, or been found guilty of a felony.
3. The contestant must be currently and always has been of the female gender.
4. Dresses must be formal and must be floor-length. No exposed midriff. No visible body piercing other than ears and no visible tattoos. Contestants will not be permitted to wear corsages or carry flowers during the judging of the contest.
5. Contestants will be judged: on beauty, poise, and personality.
6. The White County Fair Association will not be responsible for lost or stolen articles, damages to apparel or accessories, or bodily injury incurred by a contestant during the pageant or pageant activities.
7. Contestants may compete in State Competition one time only.
8. All regulations of State Pageant apply to local Fairest of the Fair Pageant.
9. **Winner is required to be present for other Fair Events throughout the week, when requested.**
10. Any criminal history will be grounds for disqualification.
11. Disrespectful comments on social media of any kind regarding this event or a contestant will be grounds for disqualification.
12. Reigning winners **CANNOT** compete in another fair pageant the same year they are crowning a new winner.

AWARDS – PRIZES:

FAIREST OF THE FAIR

Queen	\$60
1st Runner Up	\$50
2nd Runner Up	\$40
3rd Runner Up	\$30
4th Runner Up	\$20

\$1,000 Scholarship for the winner of the pageant
(Please see scholarship page for more information)

The winner of the state-wide contest will receive the title “Tennessee’s Fairest of the Fairs” and will receive such prizes as approved by the Association.

Floral Arrangements to each winner
Trophies presented to each winner
Social activities will be a part of the pageants
(time and place to be announced)
Rehearsal

Competent and impartial judges will judge all events.

Their decision will be final.

Exact time and place of each event pertaining to the pageants will be announced by the Superintendents of the pageants. Winners and runners-up will have certain duties to perform throughout the week of the Fair.