

Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Inc.



2013 Miss Rodeo Oregon Contestant Application Packet

December 1, 2011

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Endorsed By:
Miss Rodeo America, Inc.
Professional Rodeo Cowboys Association



Educate, Elevate & Inspire

December 1, 2011

Dear Potential 2013 Miss Rodeo Oregon Contestant,

On behalf of Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Inc. and myself, I would like to thank you for your interest in the 2013 Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant. Our pageant will be held in Canby, OR in conjunction with the Clackamas County Fair & Rodeo and is tentatively scheduled for August 15th – August 18th, 2012. We are very honored to once again be making our home in Canby and working with its rodeo association. In addition, we are thrilled to have our 2011 Miss Rodeo Oregon, now 2012 Miss Rodeo America, Mackenzie Carr join us. A mandatory pre-pageant orientation is tentatively scheduled for Sunday, July 1, 2012—location and time to be announced. An invitation with specific details will be sent to you with your official contestant packet.

After receiving your application, pageant fee and the following items stated on the pageant checklist you will be sent your official contestant packet that will include the pageant rulebook, a tentative pageant schedule with more specific wardrobe guidelines, and information regarding the contestant ad(s) in the pageant program that you will be required to sell/buy.

Thank you again for your interest in the 2013 Miss Rodeo Oregon pageant, I look forward to working with you.

Sincerely,

Stephanie Hedin

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2013 Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant Contestant Check List

*Provided for your Convenience

*Dates Subject to Change

DOCUMENTS	DATE DUE	RETURNED
Signed/ Contestant Application (Notarized Hard Copy & Electronic Copies) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Including copy of birth certificate and/or ODL 	May 1, 2012	_____
Contestant Application Fee - \$250 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Made payable to MROP, Inc. - Note: A \$30 fee will apply to any returned checks. 	May 1, 2012	_____
Contestant Photographs (Hard Copy & Electronic Copies) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - (1) 8 x 10, Color - (1) 5 x 7, Black & White - (1) 4 x 6 or larger, Contestant & Horse 	May 1, 2012	_____
CD/USB Drive *Containing all the above required electronic copies of photographs & documents from application in MS Word format.	May 1, 2012	_____
Proof of Horse Ownership *Copy of registration papers or copy of lease agreement with horse owner from the date of pageant throughout the completion of the 2013 reign.	May 1, 2012	_____
Signed/Photographers Release	May 1, 2012	_____
Signed/Educational Scholarship Orders & Procedures	May 1, 2012	_____
Signed/Participant Release Form *Notarized	May 1, 2012	_____
Description of Scholarship Auction Item <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 50 Words or Less - Email to stephaniehedin@gmail.com 	July 1, 2012	_____
Program Advertising Artwork & Fee (\$400) * Each contestant is required to sell/buy a contestant page (black/white) in the program for \$400 that you will design with sponsors, etc. More information will be included in the contestant application. Please turn in ALL ads on a CD/Flash Drive. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Contestant Ad Page (Black & White) - Sold Ads & Money 	July 1, 2012	_____
Raffle Ticket Stubs & \$300	July 1, 2012	_____
Description of Fashion Show Dress <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 150 Words or Less - Email to stephaniehedin@gmail.com - 	July 1, 2012	_____

PLEASE NOTE: All deadlines are final. No extensions will be given and failure to meet deadlines may result in disqualification from the pageant.



Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant Contestant Application

Please Type:

NAME _____ DATE OF BIRTH _____

OREGON DRIVER'S LICENSE NUMBER _____

ADDRESS _____ AGE _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONES: HOME _____ CELL _____

WORK _____ EMAIL _____

PARENTS:

FATHER _____ OCCUPATION _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONES: HOME _____ WORK _____

MOTHER _____ OCCUPATION _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONES: HOME _____ WORK _____

MEDIA:

CONTESTANT'S LOCAL NEWSPAPER _____

ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PERSONAL STATISTICS:

HEIGHT: _____ HAIR COLOR: _____ EYE COLOR: _____

BLOUSE SIZE: _____ BOOT SIZE: _____ WEIGHT: _____

JACKET SIZE: _____ PANT SIZE: _____ BELT SIZE: _____

FAVORITE COLOR: _____

EDUCATION (College, Special Training, High School)

SCHOLASTIC HONORS AND OTHER ACCOMPLISHMENTS (Present and High School)

HOBBIES AND FAVORITE SPORTS:

COMMUNITY INVOLVMENT: (List your participation in charitable, non-profit and community activities or organizations)

WHY IS COMMUNITY INVOLVMENT IMPORTANT TO YOU? (50 words or less)

SCHOLASTIC AMBITIONS AND LIFE AMBITIONS:

WHY I WANT TO BECOME MISS RODEO OREGON: (150 words or less)

HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY HELD A RODEO ROYALTY TITLE ON A COURT AS A QUEEN OR PRINCESS, CURRENTLY HOLD A TITLE, OR HAVE INVOLVEMENT THROUGH EQUESTRIAN OR AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATIONS (4-H, FFA, OHSET, ETC.)? Y OR N (CIRCLE ONE. IF YES, PLEASE COMPLETE THE EXPERIENCE/REFERENCE FORM BELOW)

RODEO ROYALTY – QUEEN, COURT OR OTHER HORSEMANSHIP AND LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE REFERENCE FORM. FILL IN AS MANY AS NEEDED. IF MORE SPACE IS NEEDED, PLEASE ATTACH ANOTHER FORM WITH THE SAME INFORMATION.

NAME OF TITLE: _____ ADVISOR'S NAME: _____
ADDRESS: _____ PH: _____ EMAIL: _____
BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF YOUR QUEEN/COURT OR HORSEMANSHIP/LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCES: _____

MAY WE CONTACT YOUR ADVISOR AS A REFERENCE? Y OR N (IF NO, PLEASE EXPLAIN IN DETAIL ANY CONFLICTS)

NAME OF TITLE: _____ ADVISOR'S NAME: _____
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MAY WE CONTACT YOUR ADVISOR AS A REFERENCE? Y OR N (IF NO, PLEASE EXPLAIN IN DETAIL ANY CONFLICTS)

By my signature on this application, I hereby certify that I have read and completely understand the accompanying Official Rules and Regulations of the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant and I have also read and understand the accompanying Miss Rodeo Oregon Contract that I acknowledge the rules and regulations, as well as, the Miss Rodeo Oregon Contract to apply to myself at all times during my competition in the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, it's programs, activities and functions; that said rules and regulations pertain to all persons related to my appearance in the Pageant; and that Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Inc., will rely upon my execution hereof and all terms and conditions set forth herein, in permitting my appearance and participation in the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant.

By the execution hereof, I hereby RELEASE and HOLD Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Inc., and the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, the officers, directors, accredited sponsors both commercial and private, employees, agents, members and/or representatives of each, HARMLESS from any and all rights, claims and/or actions, direct and/or indirect, fixed and/or contingent, of whatsoever kind and/or character, as shall now exist and/or hereafter arise from, and/or be the result of, my, and/or persons related to, my appearance and/or participation in the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, its programs, activities and/or functions. The undersigned does acknowledge that she is familiar with equestrian and rodeo sports and activities and that the same are inherently dangerous to herself and those related to her participation therein. The undersigned further acknowledges that Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Inc., and the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant cannot and does not guarantee the safety and/or well being of any participant and/or against harm to the participant and/or the conduct of any participant other than the undersigned. The undersigned acknowledges that this release and indemnification is executed without specific knowledge of existing and/or future rights, claims, and/or actions, but executes the same notwithstanding such lack of knowledge, the risk thereof being known by, and assumed by, the undersigned and found to be reasonable for her assumption.

By the execution hereof, the undersigned does:

1. Grant permission to Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Inc., and the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant to verify any and all information contained herein by and through information held by persons other than the undersigned and shall execute and deliver to the above named entities such documents as are required to obtain any and all information reasonably necessary to verify any and all such information,
2. Certify herself to be of the age evidenced by the Certificate of Birth attached hereto and/or to be attached hereto, as Exhibit A,
3. Deliver and/or within a reasonable time hereafter, shall deliver (a) one (1) black/white, vertical 5 x 7 head and shoulder photographs, (b) one (1) color, vertical 8 x 10 head and shoulder photograph and does release all right, claim, title and/or interest therein together with any and all information provided herein, and/or hereafter otherwise acquired by the above, regarding the undersigned, for use in matters of public relations, advertising and/or promoting the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant both now and in the future,
4. Both now and in the future, authorize Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Inc., and the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant to use, distribute, print, reproduce, and/or publish, (a) any and all photographs provided by the undersigned, and/or taken by any authorized representative of the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Inc., and (b) information provided herein and/or hereafter acquired by the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Inc., relating to and/or otherwise regarding the undersigned, all without right of present and/or future compensation, and
5. Certify both that she has not previously been nor is she now married or pregnant.

The undersigned does agree that (a) the foregoing certifications and agreements are continuing in nature, (b) upon failure of any certification and/or authorization set forth above, and/or (c) if the undersigned shall fail to provide notice of the change in any of the above certifications and/or authorizations, during her participation in the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, she will automatically and without notice be disqualified from further participation in the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, and does hereby agree to indemnify and hold the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Inc., together with the officers, directors, accredited sponsors both commercial and private, employees, agents, members and/or representatives of each, harmless as against all rights, claims and/or actions arising by reason thereof.

Applicant agrees and stipulates that disqualification from participation in the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant either before or after competition, will result in damages to Miss Rodeo Oregon, Inc. In this regard, applicant agrees to pay Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Inc. a sum equal to all monies and consideration received as the result of applicants participation in the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, the same being declared liquidated damages as between the parties.

In the event the undersigned shall receive the title of Miss Rodeo Oregon, she agrees to complete the tenure of title in accordance with the rules and regulations of Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Inc.; shall at all times act in the best interest of and to promote the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant; make such public appearances as shall be designated by Miss Rodeo Oregon Inc., the same to be at the cost and expense of Miss Rodeo Oregon, Inc., but without compensation for time and/or service; and shall relinquish and deliver to the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, all claims and accouterments (crown, banner, buckle, saddle, etc.) as shall relate to the title of Miss Rodeo Oregon, all upon the naming of a successor to such title.

This agreement shall be binding upon all heirs, assigns, successors, trustee's, receivers, legally appointed guardians, administrators, executors and personal representatives of the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Inc., and the undersigned.

This is a legal instrument for which an attorney and accountant should be consulted.

The undersigned do affix their signatures hereto without reserve.

(Contestant Signature)

(Contestant Address)

NOTARY FORM

STATE OF _____)

COUNTY OF _____)

I, _____, a Notary Public, do hereby certify that on this ____ day of _____, 201____, personally appeared before me _____, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and swore and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purpose and in the capacity therein expressed, and that the statements contained therein are true and correct.

Notary Public, State of _____ (SEAL)

Name, Typed or Printed: _____

My Commission Expires: _____

Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Inc.
Photographer's Release

Permission to use Copyright Print(s):

Person in Photograph: _____

Photographer: _____

Business Address of Photographer: _____

Telephone: _____

As the photographer and copy write owner of the print(s), I grant permission for my print(s) to be used in the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant for publicity purposes. The print(s) will not be used for any purpose beyond those stated by the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Inc. PO Box 303, Redmond, OR 97756

Signature of Photographer

Date

Print Name



MISS RODEO OREGON PAGEANT, INC. EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS

Educational Scholarships – scholarships will be awarded by MROP, Inc. to the following:

- Miss Rodeo Oregon
- Miss Rodeo Oregon 1st Runner Up

Scholarships awarded during the MRO Pageant are governed by the following order and procedures set forth by the MROP, Inc. Scholarship Committee.

Scholarship information will be made available to all participants in the MRO Pageant.

Order and Procedures for Awarding Miss Rodeo Oregon Scholarships

Recipient must meet pageant eligibility and pageant requirements. Recipient must also have completed and signed the Miss Rodeo Oregon application, all applicable waivers/releases, paid all applicable fees and completed sales requirements. In addition contestant must successfully complete the annual Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant in good standing as a pageant contestant while abiding by all rules and regulations set forth by the pageant committee and Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Inc.

Recipient of the Miss Rodeo Oregon Scholarship must also complete the duties of her title that are required of her through her performance contract.

Funds shall reside with MROP, Inc. and will be paid directly to the college, university or trade school designated by the recipient.

Funds can be used for the following:

- To be dispersed to a school loan financial institution to pay existing school loans.
- To be dispersed for the recipient to attend a seminar/conference for career advancement.
- To be dispersed to a college, university or trade school after the recipient has completed a term with a 2.0 GPA or better.

No funds will be paid to directly to a recipient.

Recipient has two years from the completion of her reign as Miss Rodeo Oregon to use her awarded scholarship. If the titleholder should be selected as Miss Rodeo America, she will have two years from the completion of her reign as Miss Rodeo Oregon.

Scholarship is not renewable.

Should the recipient not use the awarded scholarship, the scholarship shall revert to MROP, Inc.

THE MISS RODEO OREGON PAGEANT, INC. SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE AND THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS RESERVES THE RIGHT O INTERPRET OR AMEND THESE ORDERS AND PROCEDURES AT ANY TIME AT ITS DISCRETION AND TO SETTLE AND DETERMINE ALL DISPUTES, QUESTIONS OR MATTERS REGARDING, ARISING FROM, OR INCIDENT TO THE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM.

We have read, understand and agree to abide by the aforementioned orders and procedures. In addition I agree to represent the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, Inc. with pride and dignity. Failure to do so will result in forfeiture of scholarship.

Contestant's Signature

Contestants's Printed Name

Date

Witness's Signature

Witness's Printed Name

Date



2013 Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant Participant Release Form

In consideration of my participation in the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, in accordance with the rules of such pageant, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is acknowledged, I, the undersigned contestant, represent, warrant and agree to the following:

- 1) **Age; Citizenship.** I state that I am: (a) over 18 years of age and legally authorized to execute this Release, and (b) a citizen or legal resident of the United States of America. I further state that all participant information stated below is true and correct.
- 2) **Authorization to Use Images.** I authorize Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant Inc. and their licensees, representatives, successors and assigns, (collectively "MROP") to use my name, voice, likeness, images or signature (collectively referred to as "Images") in any manner and in any medium and for any purpose which they choose, including without limitation print, radio, television, audio-visual recording, electronic or magnetic media, computer disks, computer file servers, CD-ROM's, on the Internet, including the World Wide Web, or in any type of computer network or for advertising in or for any of those media. The Images used may include still images, motion pictures, videotape, audio-visual recordings, live or recorded broadcasts. I further waive any right I may have to approve any Image or its use in any future materials. I further grant MROP the right to edit, alter or modify any image in any manner it deems appropriate.
- 3) **Perpetual Right to Use Images.** This authorization includes a perpetual license to use my Images and to license or permit others to use, post, copy or reproduce such Images. I further authorize MROP or their licensees to alter, edit or modify the appearance of my Images in any manner they deem appropriate for use in such media.
- 4) **Assignment of Any Rights in Images.** To the extent I may have any rights in the Images, I assign any rights I may have in the images, including copyright, to MROP.
- 5) **Image Release.** I release and discharge MROP, its licensees, successors, assigns, agents, employees and representatives from any and all claims, demands and liabilities arising out of or related to their use of my Images in any manner reasonably contemplated by this agreement, including without limitation any claims for defamation, libel, slander, invasion of privacy or infringement of the right of publicity.
- 6) **Indemnity.** I agree to indemnify and hold MROP harmless from any and all claims, demands, actions or causes of action (including attorneys' fees) based upon, arising out of or related to: (a) MROP's use of my Images as described in this agreement, (b) any violation by me of this agreement, and (c) any false or misleading statements made by me in connection with the information I have provided to MROP related to the subject matter of this agreement.
- 7) **Right to Edit Images.** It shall be within MROP's sole discretion to determine if, where, how and in what manner my Images are used. I grant MROP the right to alter or edit the Images as it may deem necessary or appropriate.

- 8) **No Additional Compensation.** Except as specifically stated otherwise in a written agreement by MROP, I acknowledge that no additional compensation is due to me for the use of my Images as contemplated by this agreement.
- 9) **Arbitration.** In the event of a dispute arising out of or related to the subject matter of this agreement, I agree that such matter will be resolved by binding arbitration by an arbitrator to be mutually selected by the parties. In the event that the parties are not able to agree upon an arbitrator one shall be selected in accordance with the rules for commercial arbitration of the American Arbitration Association and the arbitration shall be held in accordance with the commercial arbitration rules of the American Arbitration Association. Any such arbitration shall be held near Portland, OR (Portland Metro Area).
- 10) **Assumption of Risk/Acknowledgment of Inherent Danger:** As part of my participation in the Miss Rodeo Oregon Pageant, I understand that I will be asked to participate in certain rodeo activities, related activities or other activities where horses, livestock and other large animals may be present or involved. I represent and warrant that I am experienced in these and similar activities. These activities are or may be inherently risky, and I know that the risks involved include the risk of potential death or serious bodily injury. I state that I am aware of the risks of being involved in these activities. I further represent and warrant that I am voluntarily participating in these activities knowing the potential risks involved. I release and discharge MROP, and all of its employees, agents, representatives, volunteers, officers and director from any and all liability of every kind and nature that may be involved in participating in these types of activities.

 (Contestant Signature)

 (Contestant Date of Birth)

 (Contestant Address)

 (Contestant Phone Number)

NOTARY FORM

STATE OF _____)
COUNTY OF _____)

I, _____, a Notary Public, do hereby certify that on this ____ day of _____, 201____, personally appeared before me _____, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument, and swore and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purpose and in the capacity therein expressed, and that the statements contained therein are true and correct.

Notary Public, State of _____

(SEAL)

Name, Typed or Printed: _____

My Commission Expires: _____