



2024 Regency International Royalty

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# Alabama Regency State Pageant Handbook

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October 18th, 2025  
The Venue at Coosa Landing

<https://www.regencyinternationalpageant.com/>

# Welcome

Welcome to the 3rd Annual Alabama Regency State Pageant and preliminary to the Regency International Pageant. The Regency International Organization is an innovative pageant system that is helping to change the world for today's women. We are excited to have you join us. Our goal is to cultivate our contestants' passion for excellence, drive for success, and desire for personal development. We seek to shape leaders, and are excited to work with contestants who want to have fun, learn about themselves, make new friends, gain self-confidence, connect with their community, expand their knowledge, and increase their marketability. The lessons learned and skills acquired through this pageant experience can last a lifetime.

Welcome to our pageant family!

# Our Age Divisions

Age Divisions are determined by Age as of Internationals  
August 1st, 2026

Tiny (4-6)

Petite (6-8)

Little Miss (8-10)

Junior Miss (11-12)

Junior Teen (13-15)

Teen (16-18)

Miss (19-29)

Mrs. (18-44 Married)

Ms (18-44 divorced/widowed/ 29+ never married)

Classic (45+)

Illustrious (60+)

Shapely (age 19+ size 14W+)

# Areas Of Competition

All contestants compete in all four categories and are scored the same way

Interview (25%)

Photogenic (25%)

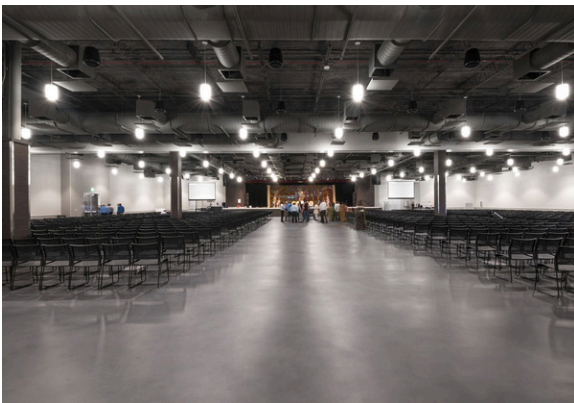
Fashion Wear (25%)

Evening Gown (25%)

# Our Venue

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The Venue at Coosa Landing



The Venue at Coosa Landing is on the banks of the Coosa River. This 55,000 square foot facility is the perfect place to host events of all sizes. The space regularly hosts pageants year-round. We will be in the 15,000 square foot Main Hall and will have access to The Venue's two dressing rooms and Green Room as well.

201 George Wallace Dr, Gadsden, AL 35903



# Our Entry Fee

## **Our Entry Fee (All Ages) - \$275**

A \$75 deposit towards your total entry fee is due at the time of registration. Any remaining amount can be paid in full at any time leading up to pageant day.

### **Optional Competitions:**

- Model Portfolio
- Everyday Wear
- Mother/Daughter

\*These extra competitions are optional to compete in.

Optionals cost \$40 each to enter.

[Click here](#) to Enter in Optional Competitions

### **Discounts:**

**Friend/Family Discount**- \$50 Discount available to BOTH contestants, when a contestant signs up based on another contestant's recommendation.

*Program Book Ad Pages*- Finding Sponsors can be easy and can potentially eliminate all out-of-pocket expenses. We want our pageant to be affordable for everybody no matter what their situation is. Ask us for more information on how to find sponsors.

Any Questions:

Please reach out to Emily Costa at (530)401-3075 OR email [alabamaregencypageant@gmail.com](mailto:alabamaregencypageant@gmail.com)

# Required Items

These items are due leading up to the pageant

**\*Click on the Hyperlinks to turn in required items**

## [REGISTRATION FORM](#)

DEPOSIT- \$75 Deposit Due with Registration Form

HEADSHOT - Used for Photogenic Scoring and Pageant Planet  
People's Choice voting

## [RULES AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY FORM](#)

To Send your Deposit:

Venmo @Emily-Costa7

Paypal @anniecostaemily

Please Send Via "Friends and Family" if using PayPal

## SPECIAL AWARDS

Best Interview- Top score in junior and senior division, in Personal Interview.

People's Choice Award- All contestants entered for free. Public votes are \$1.00 each.

Highest vote-getter in junior and senior division will win a title and full prize package

(OR) cash prize.

Optional Awards- There are 3 optional competitions that contestants in each age division can compete in. [Click here](#) to Enter in Optional Competitions.

Rookie of the year Award- Given to a contestant who exemplified the spirit of pageantry. This award is typically given to a contestant who is new to pageantry.

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# FULL TRANSPARENCY

- We set our line-up alphabetically, by local title. (ie- Miss Auburn comes before Miss Birmingham)
- We offer to meet with our winners to discuss strengths and areas for improvement, especially in preparation for Internationals.
- We provide contestants' scores and the high score in each category, while maintaining confidentiality.
- Contestants can obtain judges' written comments.
- Blank score cards are available to be viewed before the pageant, so you know what the judges are scoring.
- All contestants will have the option to apply to compete at the International pageant if they choose to apply.
- Contestants will have access to a private FB page where we communicate frequently.
- We can provide advice and resources for hair/makeup, poise, wardrobe, and more.

\*BEFORE YOU SIGN UP FOR ANY PAGEANT, SEE HOW MUCH INFORMATION THEY PROVIDE PUBLICLY. TRANSPARENCY IS IMPORTANT TO US, AND SHOULD BE TO YOU.

# COMMUNITY SERVICE

Community Service and Title Visibility awards are given out at the International Pageant. Please contact Emily Costa for prior approval before volunteering in your local community. Volunteering is always recommended but not required; it is also recommended that contestants choose a non-profit platform that they support. Older contestants should speak about their platform during on-stage introduction as well as in their panel interview.

Please have a clear understanding of how you will volunteer for this organization during your reign.

# Our Prize Package

## **State Winners in Each Age Division will Receive:**

Scholarship covering Entry at the International Pageant in San Antonio, TX

Official Regency International State Crown

Official Regency International Alabama State Sash

Official Regency International Crown Box

Holy Sugar Skincare (Sugar Scrub)

Free Virtual Voice Lesson with Play Better Music

3 hours of pageant coaching/consulting with Emily Costa

Featured on our social media sites etc.

Access to an official State Title Instagram Page

Custom Matching Royalty Wardrobe

Custom Artwork

Sponsored Gift Bag

## **People's Choice Winner (2 Winners- 1 Junior Division and 1 Senior Division)**

People's Choice Award

Official Regency International Regional Crown

Official Regency International Regional Sash

Scholarship covering Entry at the International Pageant in San Antonio, TX

3 hours pageant coaching/consulting with Emily

2 Interview Coaching sessions with Greg Solomon at Strategic Marketing Concept

\*If a people's choice winner is also an overall State Division winner, they forfeit the regional title and are instead awarded with a cash prize consisting of half of the total people's choice funding. The other half goes towards prize package funds for state royalty.

(Cash Prize is a Maximum of \$500)

(Select prizes may not be given until completion of reign. Prizes are subject to change without notice. I am currently working on more getting more sponsored prizes)



# Meet Our Staff



## Director- Emily Costa

Emily graduated Magna cum laude and is the Client Service Manager for Capital Wealth Planners, a company that focuses on 401(k) planning for small/medium sized business owners. She is a small town girl, growing up homeschooled on a ranch in Cool, CA. Emily has ten siblings and twenty-four nieces and nephews. She was Miss Regency International 2021 after competing in a Regency preliminary and has been in love with the Regency International Organization (RIO) ever since! Her main goal is leaving a large and lasting impact on the world around her.



## Staff- Molly Weems

Molly Weems is a seasoned pageant competitor with over 20 years of experience, holding numerous titles, including Miss Blount County and Miss St. Clair County. Transitioning from the stage to mentorship, Molly is now a respected pageant coach and judge, dedicated to helping the next generation of competitors shine.

A devoted member of Locust Fork Baptist Church, Molly enjoys singing and playing guitar, sharing her love of music with others. Beyond her pageant career, she cherishes time with her family, especially her baby. When she's not coaching or judging, you can find her on the golf course, enjoying her love for the sport.

# PROGRAM SCHEDULE

\*Our Program Schedule is Subject to Changes

**10/18/25**

8:30 am Check-in (All Ages)

9:00 am Interviews Begin (Interview Slots will be provided in advance)

12:30 Lunch Break

1:30 Doors Open

2:00 Optional Competitions (Regular Intermissions/Entertainment)

3:30 Pageant Begins

White Outfit- Parade of Contestants

Fun Fashion

Evening Gown

Queens Final Walk

Awards Ceremony

-Optional Awards

- Rookie of the Year Award

-Interview Awards (2 Winners)

-People's Choice Award (2 Regional Titleholders)

-Crowning (12 State Titleholders)

\*ALL Contestants must stay around for photos until excused

\*ALL State and People's Choice Winners must stay around for Royalty

Contract Signing

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