



# 8th Annual Liver Mush Festival Pageant

*Presented By:  
Tour Cleveland County and  
The Cleveland County Chamber*

**Saturday,  
October 20, 2018**

Uptown Shelby NC  
Court Square (Warren St)

***Contestants will compete in one of eight age categories for the  
Liver Mush Pageant titles:***

*Contestants compete in one of eight age categories for the  
Outstanding titles*

**\* Mini Grand Majestic  
\* Overall Grand Majestic**

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| * 0-11 months - Baby Miss     | * 7-9 years - Little Miss   |
| * 12-23 months - Toddler Miss | * 10-12 years - Junior Miss |
| * 2-3 years - Miniature Miss  | * 13-15 years - Young Miss  |
| * 4-6 years - Tiny Miss       | * 16-18 years - Teen Miss   |

***Any Questions: Adrian Hamrick - 704.487.8521 or email [adrian@clevelandchamber.org](mailto:adrian@clevelandchamber.org)***

# Little Miss Liver Mush Pageant - 2018

## ■ THE COMPETITION

Contestants in the **Baby, Toddler, Miniature, and Tiny** categories (0-6 years) participate in the Beauty and Casualwear categories and their choice of optionals. You may wear a Sunday best dress or glitz dress for Beauty, it is the Contestants Choice. (Fit and Age Appropriateness of dress will be judged) For the Sportswear category, it is contestants outfit of choice.

Contestants in the **Little, Junior, Young, and Teen** categories (7-18 years) participate in the Beauty, Casualwear, and On-Stage Interview categories and their choice of optionals. Wardrobe for Beauty is a Sunday best dress or glitz dress, it is the Contestants Choice. (Fit and Age Appropriateness of dress will be judged) For the Casualwear category, it is contestants outfit of choice.

**On-Stage Interview:** (Contestants in the 7-18 years division only) Instead of a private interview with the judges the contestant will draw a question out of a bowl and answer it on stage during the Beauty competition. The questions will center around the contestants hobbies, future plans, school, activities, etc.

### Optionals:

Best Hair

Best Eyes

Best Personality

Best Model

The optionals will be judged during the Beauty competition portion of the pageant. (\$5 each)

***NEW THIS YEAR: Photogenic Optional to be judged prior to competition. Please submit an 8x10 headshot, black and white or color in a clear cover. You may submit up to 3 photos.***

## ■ ENTRY FEES

### 0-6 YEARS - Baby, Toddler, Miniature, and Tiny categories

* BEAUTY and CASUALWEAR (required)	\$55.00
* Optionals (\$5 each)	
Best Hair, Best Eyes, Best Personality, Best Model, Photogenic	<u>\$25.00</u> (for all)
TOTAL	\$80.00

### 7-18 YEARS - Little, Junior, Young and Teen categories

* BEAUTY, CASUALWEAR, and ON-STAGE INTERVIEW (required)	\$65.00
* Optionals (\$5 each)	
Best Hair, Best Eyes, Best Personality, Best Model, Photogenic	<u>\$25.00</u> (for all)
TOTAL	\$90.00

ALL ENTRIES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE. **Make check payable to Tour Cleveland County.**

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## ■ ENTRY DEADLINE

The deadline to enter is Friday, October 12, 2018 at 5:00 pm. All applications must be received by the pageant committee by Friday, October 12. If you mail your application, please do so by Wednesday, October 10 to ensure delivery. Pre-registration is required -- no entries will be accepted at check-in on pageant day. To ensure that no applications are lost in the mail, we will confirm receipt of your application by e-mail. If you do not receive a confirmation e-mail from us by Tuesday, October 15, please contact us immediately. **PLEASE REMEMBER FIRST IN LAST OUT when submitting applications. (First application received will be last contestant out on stage in their respective categories)**

## ■ AWARDS PACKAGES

In all age categories there will be a fourth, third, second, runner-up, and winner. Fourth, third, second place, and runner-up finishers will receive a tiara, gift bag, and sash.

**Fourth, Third, Second, Runner-Up Places in Each Age Division** - Queen's Tiara, Gift Bag, and Sash

**Overall Age Division Winners** - Beautiful Queen's Crown, Embroidered Sash, Rhinestone Crown Pin, Trophy, Specialty Items, and a free professional crowning portrait sitting from Victorian Rose Studio including an 8x10 image of your choice, and much more!

**Mini and Overall Grand Majestic Winner:** Majestic Round Queen's Crown, Embroidered Sash, Rhinestone Crown Pin, Trophy, Specialty Items, a free professional crowning portrait sitting from Victorian Rose Studio including an 11x14 image of your choice, and much more!

**Optional Categories** including best hair, eyes, personality, and model an overall winner will be chosen in each category for each age division and receive a medal. For the photogenic optional, the overall winners in ages 0-6 and 7-18 will receive a trophy.

## ■ STAGE AND DRESSING AREA

Please note that the pageant competition is outside for more room and to be a part of the festival events.

Please note that the stage will be outside on the street. I suggest all participants encourage their families and friends to bring chairs.

The girls dressing area will be located in the Cleveland County Arts Council Building downstairs. Signage will be posted and registration will be held out front to direct traffic inside.

The stage will be located on the corner of Washington and Warren street right beside the Cleveland County Arts Council. Parking at Central United Methodist Church will be the easiest for contestants.

***No child will go home empty handed!!***

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## ■ COMPETITION SCHEDULE

8:00 am Building opens for contestants (Cleveland County Arts Council, 111 S. Washington Street, Uptown Shelby)

*No-one will be allowed in the building until 8:00 am*

8:30 am Check-in for contestants in the 0-6 years divisions

9:00 am Competition begins for contestants 0-6 years divisions -- contestants participate in Casualwear first and Beauty second.

Beauty begins immediately after Casualwear is completed.

10:30 am Crowning for contestants in the 0-6 years divisions and Overall Mini Grand Majestic

### ***BREAK***

12:00 pm Check in for contestants in the 7-18 years divisions

12:30 pm Competition begins for contestants 7-18 years divisions--contestants participate in Casualwear first, Beauty second, and On-Stage Interview third.

Beauty begins immediately after Casualwear is completed and The On-Stage interview will be conducted in their Beauty attire.

***PLEASE NOTE OPTIONALS WILL BE JUDGED DURING THE BEAUTY PORTION OF THE PAGEANT!***

1:30 pm Crowning for all contestants in the 7-18 years division and the Overall Grand Majestic Winner.

***Group photographs will be taken of all winners in their Beauty attire.***

**We ask that winners in the 0-6 age divisions return for crowning at 1:30 pm for a group photo and introductions!**

**WE WILL START PROMPTLY AT 9:00 and 12:30 FOR COMPETITION. POINTS WILL BE DEDUCTED FOR TARDINESS.**

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## RULES AND INFORMATION

- The pageant is open to girls ages 0-18-- there is no residency requirement.
- Information on who is participating in the pageant and how many contestants are in each age category will not be discussed by any member of the pageant committee.
- The pageant committee reserves the right to review and either accept or reject an application for any reason.
- Contestants will receive competition numbers at check-in on pageant day. Numbers will be assigned in reverse order of when the applications were received. Contestants compete in the appropriate age category based on her age on the day of the pageant.
- Each contestant may have one female chaperone with her in the dressing area. The chaperone is the only person allowed backstage with the contestant. Contestants and chaperones are reminded to keep the dressing area in a clean and orderly fashion. Please use trash cans available in the dressing area. The pageant committee is not responsible for any items left in the dressing area. No men allowed in the dressing area.
- While backstage, contestants and chaperones should remain quiet and be attentive. The contestants should be ready when it is time for them to compete. No food or drink allowed.
- Please notify the pageant staff immediately if any problems/concerns that may occur on pageant day.
- Contestants and their relatives/friends agree to treat all members of the pageant staff with respect at all times.
- The pageant committee is not responsible for damage or misplaced tiaras, medals, sashes, prizes, etc. after they are awarded to contestants.
- The decisions of the judges are final. Poor sportsmanship by a contestant or her relatives/friends will not be tolerated and can lead to disqualification and that contestant not being allowed to participate in future pageants.
- The pageant will be held outside on a stage located at the corner of Warren and Lafayette Street. There will be some seating available but guests are encouraged to bring a chair if necessary.
- Overall Majestic Winners will not win or place in their age division. We will not double crown
- ***Public appearances are required for ALL winners at the following events:***
  - 2018 Shelby Christmas Parade***
  - One Uptown Shelby Alive After Five Event in August***
  - 2019 Little Miss Liver Mush Pageant to relinquish title***



## Contestant Application

Complete Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**An email address is required**

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Contestant's Age on Pageant Day \_\_\_\_\_

Parents \_\_\_\_\_

Referred By \_\_\_\_\_

### QUESTIONS FOR ON-STAGE INTRODUCTION

School \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite Food \_\_\_\_\_ Favorite TV Show \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite Person \_\_\_\_\_ Pets \_\_\_\_\_

Favorite Movie \_\_\_\_\_ Favorite Color \_\_\_\_\_

Hobbies/Other Important Information \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

#### AGE DIVISION - please check one:

\_\_\_\_\_ 0-11 months - Baby Miss

\_\_\_\_\_ 7-9 years - Little Miss

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*\*\* Age division is based on your daughter's age on October 20 - the day of the pageant*



# Contestant Application

I plan to compete in the following areas of competition  
-- check all that apply

## 0-6 YEARS - Baby, Tiny, Miniature, and Little categories

\_\_\_\_\_ BEAUTY and CASUALWEAR (required) \$55.00

### Optionals:

\_\_\_\_\_ Best Hair \$5.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Best Eyes \$5.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Best Personality \$5.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Best Model \$5.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Photogenic (may submit up to 3 photos) \$5.00 each

## 7-18 YEARS - Young, Teen, Junior, and Miss categories

\_\_\_\_\_ BEAUTY, CASUALWEAR, and ON-STAGE INTERVIEW (required) \$65.00

### Optionals:

\_\_\_\_\_ Best Hair \$5.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Best Eyes \$5.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Best Personality \$5.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Best Model \$5.00

\_\_\_\_\_ Photogenic (may submit up to 3 photos) \$5.00 each

**TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED FOR ENTRY FEE: \$\_\_\_\_\_**

### PARENT/GUARDIAN PERMISSION

I hereby give my permission for \_\_\_\_\_ to compete in the Little Miss Liver Mush Pageant sponsored by Tour Cleveland County and the Cleveland County Chamber of Commerce. I understand and agree to abide by all of the rules and regulations set forth by the pageant committee. I agree not to hold any individuals associated with this pageant liable for any damage, loss, or injury. I understand that all judges' decisions are final and that poor sportsmanship by the contestant or her relatives/friends will result in disqualification of the contestant.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

How did you learn about this pageant? \_\_\_\_\_

**MAIL COMPLETED APPLICATION AND ENTRY FEE TO: Tour Cleveland County, 200 S. Lafayette St, Shelby, NC 28150  
DEADLINE TO ENTER IS FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2018 AT 5:00 PM**