

River-Cade 2019 'QUEEN OF THE RIVER' Royalty & Scholarship Competition



For 55 years, the Port of Sioux City River-Cade has held an annual Royalty competition that has awarded more than \$400,000 in scholarship money to young women from the Siouxland area.

In addition to receiving scholarships for their college education, the River-Cade Queen & Princesses will serve as highly important visible ambassadors of our Siouxland's signature summer festival.

Eligible candidates must meet certain requirements listed below.

- Must be a single female with no dependents
- Must never have been married
- Must be 18 years old & a high school graduate
- Must not exceed 23 years of age by Oct 2019
- During her reign, Royalty must pursue higher education at a college, or have home residence within 125-mile radius of Sioux City.

PERSONALITY

- You should be able to project friendliness & graciousness
- You must have the capacity to meet and greet people
- You should have a fun, pleasant speaking voice with the ability to speak extemporaneously and convincingly when requested.

POISE

A candidate must have poise. This includes attributes such as an easy, self-assured manner in coping with and handling difficult situations. You must be pleasant and willing to cooperate with group members. At all times, you must remember that you are representing the River-Cade Association.

AVAILABILITY OF ROYALTY

Royalty will be expected to attend various appearances representing River-Cade during the remainder of 2019 and until the conclusion of the River-Cade festival July, 2020. All appearances will be chaperoned by River-Cade officials.

BENEFITS TO 2019 ROYALTY

- New acquaintances & friendships
- Professional interview & public speaking experience, each candidate will be individually interviewed by a panel of judges and present a prepared and impromptu speech before the judges and fellow candidates
- The 2019 River-Cade Queen will receive a \$3,000 scholarship for her education
- The 2019 River-Cade Princesses will each receive a \$ 2,000 educational scholarship

Completed application forms must be received no later than Friday, May 31, 2019.

A \$30.00 application fee must accompany all applications. Make checks or money orders payable to River-Cade.

An informational meeting will take place in June.

Judging will take place on Wednesday, July 17 and Friday, July 19.

MAIL APPLICATIONS TO

River-Cade Royalty

3011 S. Paxton Street

Sioux City, Iowa 51106

If you have any questions, feel free to call the River-Cade office at 712.277.4226. Registrations are due to the Royalty Fleet no later than May 31, 2019.

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Candidate Information

Last Name

First Name

Middle Name

Current Address

City

State

Zip

DOB

Cell Phone

Email address you check regularly

(You will receive an email to confirm receipt of your application & fee. Information regarding meeting dates and expected appearances will also be sent via email to this address.)

Employer

High School

Graduation Year

College (Current or Planned)

Year in College of Fall 2019

Please answer each of the following questions.

List extracurricular activities, honors, hobbies and interests:

List and briefly describe community, school, and church involvement.

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Describe your educational and career goals.

Why are you entering the Port of Sioux City River-Cade "Queen of the River" contest?

FALSIFICATION OF THE ABOVE INFORMATION WILL RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION: I have read the qualification requirements governing the Port of Sioux City Rive-Cade Association "Queen of the River" Contest and wish to be an applicant.

Parent Information

Parent/Guardian Full Name

Parent/Guardian Address

Parent's City

State

Zip

Signature

Date