



## **Junior Miss and Deb Miss Scott Boudin Festival Contract**

At any and all times, the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL reserves the sole and absolute discretion and right to enforce or waive any portion of this agreement as it appropriate to best serve the interests of the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL. There is no third party beneficiary to this contract, and no third party has any authority to enforce, dispute, or challenge this contract other than the direct parties to the contract.

### **SECTION I - REQUIREMENTS**

QUEEN must:

- A. Be of good moral character, and not have an arrest or criminal conviction.
- B. Relinquish all but one other beauty titles and may not enter any other beauty contest of any kind during her reign other than with express and written permission from Ms. Lauren Ashley Noel, which will be maximized at only one additional beauty title.
- C. Be between 9-11 years of age for the Deb Division and 12-14 years of age for the Junior Division at the time of the Scott Boudin Festival Pageant unless express permission is given by Ms. Lauren Noel.
- D. Conform to all regulations set forth by SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL.

### **SECTION II - RULES AND REGULATIONS**

- A. QUEEN is the Ambassador and Spokesperson of the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL. It is the primary role, responsibility, and function of her title. QUEEN is to treat everyone with kindness and respect and always conduct herself with dignity and integrity.
- B. QUEEN or PARENT/GUARDIAN must maintain regular contact with the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL PAGEANT DIRECTOR, either by phone or email, regarding upcoming events that she will be attending.
- C. QUEEN must be available during her entire reign to represent at various functions.
- D. PARENT/GUARDIAN must be available to transport QUEEN to and from various functions during her entire reign.
- E. In the event QUEEN or PARENT/GUARDIAN accepts an invitation to an event, she must be present during the entire event as called for in the invitation. The only exceptions include: cases of illness, death, or the express permission of the INVITING DIRECTOR.
- F. All correspondence must be answered promptly, within 48 hours.

### **SECTION III - PROHIBITIONS, CAUSES FOR REMOVAL AND PENALTIES**

QUEEN shall not:

- A) Become ineligible by not, at all times, satisfying the requirements listed above.

- B) This is not a “crown and banner” contract. The Queen’s conduct matters under this contract whether the queen is in crown, banner, regular clothes, formal attire, and whether at a function as a representative or not. From the moment she is crowned, until she crowns her successor, the queen’s actions, behavior, and conduct are a representation of the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL.
- C) Engage in any conduct unbecoming to a queen while representing this festival, such conduct will be grounds for immediate dismissal. The following are only examples of unbecoming conduct:
- a. The use of foul language at any time in public.
  - b. Engage in public displays of affection (i.e. kissing on the lips, sitting on another person’s lap, vulgar dancing, etc.) with individuals not related by blood while representing SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL, or photos of the same posted anywhere by anyone at any time.
  - c. Any other conduct specifically prohibited by the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL.
  - d. Use of political, negative, “drama”, inappropriate, or posts on any internet website or social media platform. This includes content on any page owned by anyone. Any and all pictures and comments not following these guidelines MUST be taken down. At any time, the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL reserves the right to determine, in its sole and absolute discretion, what constitutes inappropriate and discuss same with the QUEEN and/or her PARENT/GUARDIAN.
  - e. All royalty and associated persons, including family and friends, are required to abide by the instructions and direction of the PAGEANT DIRECTOR. Willful disobedience by royalty, parents, or other associated persons out representing the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL of the instructions of the PAGEANT DIRECTOR will not be tolerated and is grounds for immediate dismissal. The PAGEANT DIRECTOR is supported by the full force of the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL Board of Directors and the Director’s decisions are final.
- D) If QUEEN breaches any provision of this Agreement, refuses to carry out or fails to meet the requirements of this agreement, then SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL shall have the right to terminate this Agreement and, upon providing 24 hours’ notice to PARENT/ GUARDIAN, SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL may take away the title from QUEEN. PARENT/GUARDIAN and QUEEN will be required to return all prizes awarded, crown, and banner, to the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL Board of Directors to the PAGEANT DIRECTOR within 48 hours after notice of termination.

#### **SECTION IV – DISCIPLINARY PROCESS**

Complaints or violations of the above and foregoing rules shall be handled as follows:

- A) On the first complaint from a public source Pageant Director shall give a warning.
- B) On any second or subsequent complaint, the QUEEN shall appear before SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL Board or its authorized representatives, who may take any action it deems necessary.
- C) Criminal charges and other items specified herein, shall be grounds for immediate removal.
- D) In the event of QUEEN’s removal, the 1st Runner Up shall be crowned. In the event the 1st Runner Up cannot fulfill this obligation, the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL shall select at their discretion a QUEEN to fulfill the remainder of that term.

#### **SECTION V - APPEARANCES**

- A) PARENT/GUARDIAN are responsible for making all arrangements for appearances.
- B) PARENT/GUARDIAN will make QUEEN available to any media and public relations events that the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL and/or Pageant Director may arrange.

- C) QUEEN is expected to attend Fairs/Festivals generally. While visiting, QUEEN should meet new people, have fun, and always have a chaperone. QUEEN may attend pageants, of course, but QUEEN and PARENT/GUARDIAN should prioritize attending community events and fairs and festivals. QUEEN shall attend all three days of the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL during her reign. QUEEN or PARENT/GUARDIAN must notify PAGEANT DIRECTOR or designated person before leaving for the day.
- D) QUEEN shall be a hostess to all visiting queens during the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL and Festival Pageant.
- E) QUEEN shall attend the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL pageant following her crowning on which date QUEEN's reign shall expire.
- F) QUEEN may ride in the Scott Mardi Gras Parade. QUEEN and/or PARENT/GUARDIAN are responsible for expenses and arrangements of parage, vehicle reservation, and throws.
- G) QUEEN and PARENT/GUARDIAN agrees to allow the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL to use her information and photographs to promote the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL.
- H) QUEEN and PARENT/GUARDIAN agrees to hold harmless the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL and pageant directors for loss of personal belongings, accidents, or illnesses during my travels, except for that caused by the specific gross negligence or intentional conduct of the aforementioned.
- I) QUEEN is expected to be knowledgeable of the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL.

## **SECTION VI - ATTIRE**

- A) QUEEN must always wear appropriate attire while representing SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL. No short-shorts, bare midriffs, extreme short skirts, or jeans with holes or frays may be worn. QUEEN should adhere to the "fingertip rule" wherein bottoms should reach QUEEN's fingertips.
- B) QUEEN shall purchase and wear SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL polo shirts, embroidered with the Queen's logo and title to the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL.
- C) QUEEN shall wear floor length gowns in all parades and formal appearances during their reign, weather permitting.
- D) QUEEN shall always wear SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL crown and banner during appearances, unless otherwise directed by the director of hosting festival or event.
- E) Inappropriate attire is considered: cut off shorts, skirts shorter than fingertip length, backless shirts, flip flops, short-shorts, micro skirts, and jeans with holes or frays. Luncheon/Business attire is defined but not limited to: modest sundress, skirt/pants with nice shirt with crown/banner. Formal luncheon/business attire is defined as a suit (skirt or pants) with banner/crown. Cocktail attire is defined as knee or tea-length formal dress or cocktail pants with crown/banner. Formal evening wear is defined as a full-length evening gown with your formal banner. Any questions concerning attire should be directed to the PAGEANT DIRECTOR.
- F) QUEEN is expected to always look and act her best, including having appropriate amounts of makeup (evening-style for formalwear and interview-style for day events or business wear) and hair styling relative to a given event. QUEEN should always have at least a "fresh faced" makeup look and neat hair for any and all appearances. It is exclusively the PAGEANT DIRECTOR'S decision if your outfit is inappropriate, and their decision is final.

QUEEN and PARENT/GUARDIAN further agree:

From the date I sign this agreement until the completion of my reign, I will conduct my activities and life in accordance with the highest ethical and moral standards, and I will not engage in any activity that might bring myself or the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL into public disrepute, ridicule, contempt or scandal or might otherwise reflect unfavorably upon any of the foregoing individuals or entities or might shock, insult or offend the community or any class or group thereof. SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL Board decisions on all matters under this contract is conclusive.

I agree not to hold SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL, its' Board of Directors, Pageant Director, nor anyone associated with the SCOTT BOUDIN FESTIVAL responsible for any injury or loss to myself or my personal property while representing this said title. The terms and conditions of the above contract are subject to change and any changes will be presented to the PAGEANT DIRECTOR for approval and then passed on and signed by the titleholder. I have read the above and foregoing contract and fully understand the terms and conditions thereof. By signing below, I indicate my desire to accept those terms and conditions and be bound by them.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Pageant Director or Designated  
Committee Member

\_\_\_\_\_  
Boudin Festival Junior Miss or Deb Miss Queen Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent or Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
President or Designated Board Member

THUS DONE AND SIGNED BEFORE ME THIS \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Lauren Ashley Noel Segura, Notary Public  
Bar Roll No. 37243, My commission expires at death.