INDIANA HONEY QUEEN APPLICATION RULES

- 1. All candidates filing applications must be a resident of Indiana and attend school or college, or work in Indiana.
- 2. Candidates must be 18, on or before January 1st, and no older than 24 on or before January 1st following the annual fall Beekeepers of Indiana meeting. Candidates must be unmarried and remain unmarried during the reign. If she marries, she forfeits her title, responsibilities and benefits to her alternate.
- 3. The candidates must mail the application form to the Honey Queen Chairperson. The application form must be postmarked by October 10 of the current year.
- 4. Each candidate must furnish a 300 word essay entitled "Honey". The essay must be typewritten, double spaced and on one side of the paper. The essay must be submitted along with the application form.
- 5. Judging will be at the Beekeepers of Indiana's Annual Fall Meeting. There will be at least three impartial judges chosen by the Queen Chairperson.
- 6. The candidates are required to wear business attire for judging.
- 7. Candidates must bring an item and the recipe (with honey as the only sweetener) to the annual fall meeting. Recipe needs to be typewritten. A recipe with no-cooking or little cooking is preferred. This recipe will be used in the Queen's recipe folder and may be used for cooking demos throughout the year.
- 8. The Indiana Honey Queen and Princess are spokespersons for the Beekeepers of Indiana. They are sponsored by the Hoosier Honeys and the Beekeepers of Indiana. The Queen/Princess will be reimbursed for their expenses; expenses will be paid upon monthly expense reports submitted to the Hoosier Honey Treasurer. All expenses must be submitted no later than 60 days from the end of her reign. Failure to comply will result in forfeiture of reimbursement.
- 9. The elected Queen/ Princess must plan to make as many promotional/educational appearances as possible and must attend at least 8 days at the Indiana State Fair.
- 10. The Queen/Princess will send a monthly report of her activities to the Queen Chairperson and will write 4 newsletter reports to be turned in to the newsletter editor prior to the deadlines and proofed by the Queen Chairperson first.
- 11. The Queen/Princess should wear conservative dress at all of her public appearances as Indiana Honey Queen and Princess. While body art and body piercing are becoming more socially acceptable, it is required that the Indiana Honey Queen /Princess and candidates shall cover and conceal any body art and conceal or remove any body piercing that would detract from or demean the wholesome image they project of the product and industry they represent.
- 12. The Honey Queen / Princess will maintain multiple social media sites in their professional capacity. These sites will be monitored and any inappropriate content will be removed immediately.
- 13. If the Queen cannot fulfill her duties, the princess will become queen and the second runner up will become princess.
- 14. The Indiana Honey Queen or Princess may not compete again for the Indiana Honey Queen program unless requested or asked by the Queen Chairperson.
- 15. To be able to run for American Honey Queen depends on participation, activities and behavior throughout her year. The board members will decide if she has deserved the reward to go on.

Honey Queen Chairperson
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APPLICATION FOR INDIANA HONEY QUEEN

Applicant's Name
Parent's Names
Address
City, Sate & Zip
Home Phone Number
Cell Phone Number
Date of Birth
School or College
Applicant's College Address
City, State & Zip
Grade or Year
E-mail Address
Hobbies_
Extra Curricular Activities
Other Comments

Please read and keep the rules. Return the application form and an essay postmarked no later than October 10th of the current year. If you have any questions, please contact Kristy at 812-201-6836 or email: clctrolley@1791.com

Mail to:

Honey Queen Chairperson 6309 E. Cascade Rd. Rockville, IN 47872

Attn: Kristy Dooley