



Miss Cinderella Pageant



709 Oklahoma Blvd.



Alva, OK 73717

Dear High School Counselor or School Representative:

The Northwestern Homecoming Association is pleased to extend to your school an invitation to enter one senior girl as a contestant in the 66th Annual Miss Cinderella Pageant at Northwestern Oklahoma State University in Alva, Oklahoma. The 2017 NWOSU Homecoming activities are scheduled for **September 28, 29, and 30**. Since homecoming is early this year, you may want to consider selecting your representative during the spring 2017 semester or during the summer, although many schools wait until the beginning of school in the fall 2017 semester. These are only suggestions; the young lady you choose to send and the selection process used is completely up to you and your school.

Scholarship opportunities await your contestant as each pageant participant will be awarded a two-semester tuition waiver (\$950 each semester) during her freshman year at Northwestern – Alva. Other winners will receive additional scholarships and waivers. The 2017 Miss Cinderella will receive eight semesters of tuition waiver (\$950 each semester) and a two-semester semi-private room waiver. **The Miss Cinderella Pageant is not affiliated with the Miss Oklahoma Pageant.**

Orientation is scheduled for **Sunday, September 10, 2017, at 2:00 p.m.**, and every contestant must attend. The principal or superintendent from the contestant's school must certify the contestant on the **Certification of Local Winner form** to be considered entered in the pageant. This form is due by **Wednesday, September 6**, with no exceptions. The pageant is limited to the first 36 schools that certify their local winners. **The Contestant's Information and Data Sheet with media release are also due by Wednesday, September 6.**

For your convenience, the **Certification of Local Winner form** and the **Contestant's Information and Data Sheet** with its instructions and media release are enclosed. The **Miss Cinderella Pageant 2017 Rules** are also provided. Additional pageant information including calendar of events, talent guidelines and wardrobe guidelines are available at <http://www.nwosu.edu/cinderella>. It is expected that all contestants will access and be familiar with all of the provided documents. **The time limit for talent is 1 ½ minutes (90 seconds).**

If this information should have been directed to other personnel at your school, please give it to the proper contact person. If you have questions regarding the pageant, please feel free to contact pageant co-director Ms. Lisa Franz at 580-327-8116 or lifranz@nwosu.edu and mail all documents to Ms. Lisa Franz, Miss Cinderella Pageant Co-Director, NWOSU—Upward Bound Program, 709 Oklahoma Blvd, Alva, OK 73717.

The Miss Cinderella Pageant is a great opportunity for your school to be represented and for one of your students to receive excellent scholarship opportunities. We look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Lisa Franz

Ms. Lisa Franz
Miss Cinderella Co-Director

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Miss Cinderella Co-Director

Enclosures: Certification of Local Winner form
Miss Cinderella Pageant 2017 Rules
Contestant's Information and Data Sheet packet