

Ranger Royalty 2026

RANGER QUEEN, RANGER KING AND FRESHMAN QUEEN

Applications will be e-mailed to all students on Thursday, August 27, 2026. All Entry Forms and registration fee must be submitted to the Student Services Office in Ryerson Hall Rm.126 by Wednesday, September 9, 2026, at 5:00pm. **IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE COME BY RYERSON HALL ROOM 126.**

Rules are below

CONTEST RULES

1. Each female candidate running for **Ranger Queen** must have completed at least one semester at NWOSU and completed a minimum of at least 31 earned credit hours prior to nomination and must be currently enrolled. Each candidate must be sponsored by a current campus club or organization. **Freshman Queen** must be currently enrolled with no more than 30 credit hours earned. Each candidate must be sponsored by a current campus club or organization. No one shall run for Freshman Queen more than once. **NO EXCEPTIONS!** A club and organization can only sponsor 1 candidate.
2. Each male candidate running for **Ranger King** must be currently enrolled at NWOSU. Each candidate must be sponsored by a current campus club or organization. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**
3. **There will be an entry fee of \$20 for each candidate.** The fee must be paid at the time of entry. The candidate is responsible for provide SGA with a digital photo for public relations services. They can e-mail the photo to krbrown@nwosu.edu. Money and applications must be turned in at the Student Services Office, Ryerson Hall Room 127.
4. There will be a **MANDATORY MEETING FOR ALL CANDIDATES** on **THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2026, AT 5:00 PM IN THE STUDENT CENTER WYATT ROOM.** Campaigning will begin for all qualified candidates following this meeting. Please send your headshots to krbrown@nwosu.edu immediately following this meeting.
5. The primary election will be held on Monday, September 21st and Tuesday, September 22nd. The announcement of the **3** Ranger Queen Finalists, **3** Ranger King Finalists and the **new** Freshman Queen will be at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, September 24th, at a banquet held in the Student Center Ballroom in the candidates honor. All candidates must RSVP for the Banquet by September 17th by 12:00 PM.
6. The final election for Ranger Queen and Ranger King will be held on Monday, October 5th and Tuesday, October 6th. The Ranger Queen and Ranger King will be announced at the halftime of the homecoming football game on Saturday, October 10th. All remaining campaigning material must be removed from campus by no later than Tuesday, October 23rd at 5:00pm.
7. Candidates can display **ONE** standard size poster (22" x 28"). The poster can be in one of the following areas: Coronado Hall, Cunningham Hall, Fryer Hall, Ament Hall or the Cafeteria. Other

posters, not exceeding 9" x 12", may be posted in an unlimited number across campus. You **MUST** contact and receive approval from Charles Craddock before you post any fliers in the cafeteria. No signs may be posted on glass doors and no paper or cardboard posters may be posted outside of buildings on any object such as trees, walls, tables, trash cans, etc. Any posters must have the Student Services Approved Stamp. Email your posters to krbrown@nwosu.edu as a JPG or PNG and I will stamp it and email it back.

8. Candidates may also post to their **personal** social media pages, but **cannot use the social media pages of clubs and organizations or athletics pages from our campus** to promote their candidacy. Only students can repost and share.

DO NOT:

- Post on painted walls or ANY wall in the student center.
- Use adhesives, Velcro, duct tape or any other material that will damage paint
- Use sidewalk chalk
- Post on vehicles
- Post on doors (You can post on faculty doors and dorm doors if it is approved by the faculty member or dorm resident)
- Hand out vouchers that promote alcohol, tobacco, or drugs
- Walk around with an electronic device and ask people to vote on the spot
- E-mail, text or use social media to individually ask students to vote for you.
- You cannot use mass texting or group chats to ask students to vote for you.

***Handout materials may be distributed in an unlimited amount. The candidates will be held responsible if a problem arises.**

9. Results of Freshman Queen Election, primary and final elections for the Ranger Queen and Ranger King are subject to publication in the Northwestern News.

10. All applications will be reviewed by the SGA Executive office.

11. It is **mandatory** for the candidates to attend the following events or they will be disqualified. If a candidate misses an event, they must gain approval from the SGA officers before missing the event.
Bolded and underlined events are for newly crowned Freshman Queen & Top 3 Finalists for Ranger Queen and Ranger King.
 - a. Rules Meeting – September 10, 2026 – 5:00 PM – Student Center Wyatt Room
 - b. Ranger Royalty Banquet – September 24, 2026 – 6:30 PM – Student Center Ballroom
 - c. **Ranger Royalty Rehearsal** – October 5, 2026 – 12:00 PM – Football Field
 - d. **Miss Cinderella Pageant** - October 9, 2026 – 8:00 PM – Herod Hall Auditorium
 - e. **Homecoming Parade** - October 10, 2026 – 8:45 AM – Marshall Funeral Home
 - f. **Homecoming Halftime Rehearsal** – October 10, 2026 – 12:30 PM – Football Field
 - g. **Homecoming Halftime** – October 10, 2026 – 3:00 PM – Ranger Field (8 min til half)

2026 Ranger Royalty Application

I am applying for: Ranger Queen _____ Ranger King _____ Freshman Queen _____
(Check box)

Candidate's Name (for the program): _____

E-mail Address: _____

Classification (Yr. in school): _____ Major/Minor: _____

Home Address: _____ Phone: _____

Address While at College: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Parents' Name: _____

Education - High School: _____ College(s): _____

Please list any talents, hobbies, favorite subjects, organizations participating in, etc.

Club / Organization Sponsoring Entrant: _____

Club Sponsor & Phone Number: _____

I hereby acknowledge that I have read the official rules and regulations for this contest and that I am complying with them in every way, and that the personal data as herein set forth is correct. I also acknowledge that any infraction of these rules may result in my disqualification.

Signature

Date

Banquet Guest Form

\$20 per guest

Guest's Name: _____