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## **Miss Stansbury Scholarship Program Information**

**\*\*Application Deadline: June 9th, 2025 @ 9 PM\*\***

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### **About the Program**

The **Miss Stansbury Scholarship Program** is open to young women aged 14-18 (as of the competition date) who live within the Stansbury Service Agency boundaries. Each year, the competition is held the week before Stansbury's Day. The program teaches young women valuable life skills such as public speaking, personal value development, community and world awareness, presentation skills, confidence, resiliency, interview skills, and poise.

**Scholarships & Awards** (subject to adjustment based on funding and participation numbers):  
Scholarships will be awarded when new royalty is crowned.

- Miss Stansbury, \$1,500
- Attendant, \$1,000
- Attendant, \$1,00

### **Eligibility Requirements:**

- Must live in or have primary residence within the Stansbury Service Agency boundaries.
    - In the case of joint custody, at least one custodial parent must live in Stansbury
  - Must be a young woman aged 14-18 as of the competition date.
  - Has never been married.
  - Has never received the "Miss Stansbury" title. (previous attendants/contestants are ok)
  - She has never been convicted of any crime and has no pending criminal charges.
  - Must adhere to the Miss Stansbury Code of Conduct and Dress Standards.
  - Must commit to participating in all Required Events and pledge to perform at least, but not limited to, sixty (60) hours for Miss Stansbury and (50) hours for attendants of service during their year of reign, as approved by Program Directors.
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**Application Process**

Prospective contestants must submit **ALL** of the following application materials to the Program Directors by the deadline. No exceptions will be given. Any missing materials will result in disqualification from the program.

**Application Materials**

- ☐ Miss Stansbury Scholarship Program application & information packet  
(signed/initialed)\*must use black ink
  - ☐ Biography form
  - ☐ Transcript biography (6-8 sentences about you, that will be published with a headshot)
  - ☐ Essay (\*essay prompt below)
  - ☐ Talent material (music, video, slideshow, etc)
  - ☐ Headshot
    - ☐ High-quality digital file for 8x10 printing (at least 3000x2400 pixels or approx 4MB)
    - ☐ Color
    - ☐ Head and shoulders only
    - ☐ Portrait orientation
    - ☐ Simple background and modest attire (i.e. no other people/animals/props/etc.)
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## Miss Stansbury Scholarship Program Application

Applicant Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth (mm/dd/yy): \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Online Presence (social media usernames/handles, blogs, websites, etc.):

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Parent/Legal Guardian Name(s):

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Parent/Legal Guardian Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

I certify the following:

- My primary residence is within the Stansbury Service Agency
  - If I attend college outside the area, I must maintain a primary residence in Stansbury
  - If in the case of joint custody, at least one custodial parent lives in Stansbury
- I am a young woman aged 14-18 years old (as of the competition date)
- I have never been married
- I have never been convicted of any crime and have no pending criminal charges

I understand and agree to the following:

- I have received the Miss Stansbury Scholarship Program Information (the "Packet") and commit to adhere to the Code of Conduct, and Dress Standards and attend all Required Events, which may, along with other sections, change from time to time in the sole discretion of the Program Directors with notice to applicant.
- I understand that program directors will review my online presence, including social media profiles, and may require that some posts be edited or deleted to comply with the spirit of the Code of Conduct.
- I understand that in the case of a tie score, tabulators will look at the score for the judges' Overall Impression and if a tie still exists, to the Private Interview, Talent, Essay, Onstage Interview, and Formalwear in that order.
- If selected as royalty, I pledge to perform the required hours of service, as approved by Program Directors, including time spent at Required Events
- I permit photos/videos of me to be used by the Program Directors and Stansbury Service Agency electronically and in print for any official purpose, such as publicity, program booklet, historical records, etc.
- I understand scholarship funds are to be used for the contest winner only and cannot be donated or assigned.
- I understand scholarships will be paid within 30 days following the completion of the year of service.

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- I understand that in the Program Director's sole discretion, if a winning contestant is unable to or fails to fulfill her duties (e.g. to attend Required Events or complete service hours) or violates the Code of Conduct, Dress Standards or other reasonable guidelines set forth by the Program Directors from time to time, she may be subject to discipline including a warning, forfeiture of all or part of her scholarship and forfeiture of title.
- I understand the pageant is subject to change based on the Director's discretion and number of participating contestants.

My Parent/Legal Guardian(s) and I further agree to hold The Stansbury Service Agency Board, Employees, Volunteers, Sponsors, and Director/Co-Directors of the Stansbury Park Scholarship Program ("Program"), and all persons, connected thereto in whatever capacity, free and harmless from all claims and liabilities for loss, damages, or injuries suffered by me from any cause whatsoever during my participation in all activities relating to the Program.

I further state that the information provided within this Application and Biography attached hereto is true and correct. I acknowledge that I have read and fully understand the rules and regulations of the Program.

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Applicant Signature/Printed Name

Date\_\_\_\_\_

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Parent/Legal Guardian Signature (if under 18)/Printed Name

Date\_\_\_\_\_

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## **Miss Stansbury Official Contestant Biography Form**

**Contestant Name:**

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**My favorite hobbies:**

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**Three words that best describe me:**

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**My favorite quote and why:**

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**My career/education ambition:**

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**My favorite personal achievement(s) and why:**

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**What obstacle did you overcome to apply for Miss Stansbury:**

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## **Code Of Conduct**

Contestants and members of Miss Stansbury Royalty are expected to conduct themselves properly and respectfully at all times. The list below provides a few do's and don'ts. It is not exhaustive. If Program Directors are alerted to inappropriate behavior, the individual will be notified and consequences may include a warning, reduction of scholarship, dismissal from the Program, and forfeiture of title.

- **Do** display good sportsmanship during the entire competition and Program. Show appreciation to volunteers, judges, etc, and display professional behavior at all competitions and royal events. Your attitude can help create a positive culture for everyone around you. Disrespectful or careless behavior will not be tolerated.
- **Do** be on time for everything. Lateness will not be tolerated or accommodated.
- **Do** keep Program Directors informed of updates to social media usernames and handles, including any new accounts opened.
- **Don't** speak negatively about a member of royalty (past or present), a contestant, or her family.
- **Don't** show affection with partners while participating in Program activities, especially while in crown/sash. This includes holding hands, kissing, hugging, etc.
- **Don't** display disagreeable behaviors, such as temper tantrums, pouting, or back talk to Program Directors.
- **Don't** use unkind language, including but not limited to rude, ethnic, sexual jokes, cursing, or derogatory slang.
- **Don't** do anything illegal, including but not limited to:
  - Use, sell, and store illegal drugs, cigarettes, vape products, e-cigarettes, alcohol
  - Civil unrest, which includes fighting, picketing, school suspension, shoplifting, theft
- **Don't** post inappropriate behavior online, including on social media. This includes photos or videos of royalty with or without crown and sash doing anything illegal, being unkind, or inappropriate behavior or with any products that would be illegal to use, including drugs, alcohol, or tobacco.

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## **Dress Standards**

As a representative of Stansbury Park, it is imperative that contestants and royalty present themselves in a manner that is modest and appropriate for the situation.

- No visible cleavage or undergarments.
- Skirts, dresses, and shorts must be hemmed and fall at or below mid-thigh.
- No distressed fabrics and no visible words, images, or advertisements.
- Formalwear may be backless, sheer, spaghetti straps, sleeveless or strapless.
- Casualwear may be sleeveless.
- Leggings and athletic wear are not permitted unless appropriate for the activity. (e.g. 5k run)
- Hair color should appear natural.
- Ear piercings should be minimal and dainty. Piercings within the mouth or on the face must be removed during official appearances.
- In general, dress mindfully and appropriately for each activity. (e.g. don't wear a dress and heels to Lake Clean-Up Day)
- Before each event, the Royalty will coordinate their attire and get approval from the Program Directors

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## **Scoring Break Down**

### **Youth Inspiring Youth Essay (15%):**

The theme of the Miss Stansbury Scholarship Program is "Youth Inspiring Youth." This one to three-page double-spaced essay is the contestant's opportunity to show what "Youth Inspiring Youth" means to them and how they can impact our community. Contestants should be specific and personal. They should write from their perspective.

Here are some sample "prompt" questions, but contestants do not need to stick to these.

- What improvement does Stansbury Park need and what creative means would you use as Miss Stansbury to accomplish that improvement?
- Why is the theme, "Youth Inspiring Youth" important to you and how would you use the Miss Stansbury platform to inspire those around you?

### **Individual Interview (25%):**

Interviews will be held in person, on the day of the pageant at Stansbury High School. The dress code will be business attire. The duration of the interview will range between 9-10 minutes which is dependent on the number of contestants. The dress will be business attire. Times will be assigned in the parent/contestant meeting held at the Stansbury Club-House on Thursday, June 26th at 6 PM. Sample Interview questions will be provided during this meeting.

### **Opening Number (Does not affect overall score):**

Contestants will collaborate and choreograph an opening number that will be 30-50 seconds long.

### **On Stage Talent or Skills Demonstration (25%)**

- The time limit will be between 60 and 120 seconds, depending on the number of contestants. Program Directors will announce the time limit at the orientation meeting. Contestants will need to provide their materials, costumes, and props.
- Performances must be performed within stage limits with full-stage lighting (no special lighting requests).
- Video/Slideshows are permitted and backlights will be dimmed.
- Supporting Media (Media must be cut/prepared before submission):
  - Must be emailed to Program Directors at the time of application deadline.
  - Title format must be: "Contestant Number\_LastName\_FirstName\_Title" (e.g. 1\_Doe\_Jane\_Singing in the Rain)
  - Music must be submitted in an mp3 format
  - Videos must be submitted in mp4 format
  - Vocal talent backing tracks must be instrumental only

### **Formal Wear (10%):**

Your formal wear should be a reflection of your most confident self.

### **On-Stage Question (15%):**

Questions will be chosen at random. Sample questions will be provided during the contestant/parent meeting

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## **Pageant Day Schedule - 2025**

Participants in the **Miss Stansbury Scholarship Program** must be in attendance at all of the following (dates subject to adjustment by Program Directors with notice to contestants):

**Parent & Contestant Meeting (Application Due)**

- Monday, June 26 @ 6:00 p.m. | Stansbury Clubhouse

**Workshops–Mock Interviews, Essay Review, Etc**

- Wednesday, July 9 @ 6:00 p.m. | Stansbury Clubhouse (**Optional**)
- Wednesday, July 16 @ 6:00 p.m. | Stansbury Clubhouse (**Optional**)
- Wednesday, July 23 @ 6:00 p.m. | Stansbury Clubhouse (**Optional**)
- Wednesday, July 30 @ 6:00 p.m. | Stansbury Clubhouse (**Optional**)

**Dress Rehearsal**

- Friday, August 8th @ 6:00-8:00 p.m. | Stansbury High School Auditorium (**Mandatory**)

**Competition Date: Saturday, August 9th (All Day) (Mandatory)**

- ☐ Interviews beginning at 9 AM | Stansbury High School
  - ☐ Contestants arrive for the final dress rehearsal at 1 PM
  - ☐ Stage Competition begins at 3:00 Stansbury High School Auditorium
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**Royalty Appearances (Please do not compete if you cannot fulfill these obligations)**

- ☐ Movie nights throughout the summer (Memorial Day through Labor Day)
- ☐ **\*August Stansbury Days, including the parade and various events**
- ☐ **\*August- back-to-school nights for all elementary schools**
- ☐ **\*September- Royalty Photoshoot**
- ☐ September Family Dinner Night| Last Thursday of September (Jared Hall)
- ☐ \*\*October
  - ☐ **Stansbury Halloween Festival | TBA**
  - ☐ Rocktober | TBA
  - ☐ Kicking Cancer's Can | TBA (Overlake)
- ☐ **\*November Thankful 5k | TBA**
- ☐ December
  - ☐ **\*Santa Visit Market | Stansbury Clubhouse**
- ☐ \*\*January 1 @ 12 p.m. Ice Breaker | Stansbury Lake
- ☐ **\*May TBD Stansbury Lake Clean-Up Event | Stansbury Lake**
- ☐ **\*June/July Miss Grantsville City & Miss Tooele City Pageants TBA | GHS & THS**
- ☐ **\*\*July 4th Parades | Grantsville/Tooele**
- ☐ \*Up to 6 additional events arranged at least two weeks in advance by Program Directors (or Royalty and approved by Program Directors) to support the Youth Inspiring Youth Initiative
- ☐ \*Miss Stansbury is required to complete at least 60 hours of total service; Attendants are required to complete at least 50 hours of total service. Service includes event appearances.

**\*Required event (all royalty)**

**\*\*Flexible event requirement (at least one royal representative, preferably queen)**

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