THE 2027 DEFUNIAK SPRINGS & WALTON COUNTY PAGEANTS

POSTCARD

Postcards from Around the World

Where Queen's fly friendly skies.

The Walton High School Anchor Club & Drama Club present the 2027 Walton County & DeFuniak Springs Pageants in a special double pageant event at the Walton High School Auditorium in DeFuniak Springs, Florida on January 30, 2027. This pageant is an official preliminary to the National Peanut Festival Pageants.

AFTERNOON PAGEANT INFORMATION

Junior Miss Walton County - Ages 10, 11, & 12

Contestants must be a **resident of** or **attend school** in **Walton County**.

Junior Miss DeFuniak Springs - Ages 10, 11, & 12

Contestants must be a **resident of** or **attend school** in **DeFuniak Springs**.

Junior Miss Contestants will compete in Stage Presence & Final Question competitions. For Stage Presence, wear an age appropriate long pageant dress.

Young Miss Walton County - Ages 7, 8, & 9

Contestants must be a **resident of** or **attend school** in **Walton County**.

Young Miss DeFuniak Springs - Ages 7, 8, & 9

Contestants must be a **resident of** or **attend school** in **DeFuniak Springs**.

Young Miss Contestants will compete in Stage Presence & Final Question competitions. For Stage Presence, wear an age appropriate short or long pageant dress.

Future Little Miss Walton County - Pre-K & Kindergarten

Contestants must be a **resident of** or **attend school** in **Walton County**.

Future Little Miss DeFuniak Springs - Pre-K & Kindergarten

Contestants must be a **resident of** or **attend school** in **DeFuniak Springs**.

Future Little Miss Contestants will compete in Stage Presence competition. For Stage Presence, wear an age appropriate short or long pageant dress.

Double Pageant Available To Those Who Qualify

EVENING PAGEANT INFORMATION

Miss Walton County - Ages 16-19 by October 13, 2027

Contestants must be a **resident of** or **attend school** in **Walton County.**

Miss DeFuniak Springs - Ages 16-19 by October 13, 2027

Contestants must be a **resident of** or **attend school** in **DeFuniak Springs.**

Miss Contestants will compete in Interview, Written Communication, Verbal Communication, Stage Presence, and Final Question competitions.

Teen Miss Walton County - Ages 13, 14, & 15

Contestants must be a **resident of** or **attend school** in **Walton County.**

Teen Miss DeFuniak Springs - Ages 13, 14, & 15

Contestants must be a **resident of** or **attend school** in **DeFuniak Springs.**

Teen Miss Contestants will compete in Interview, Stage Presence, and Final Question competitions. Stage Presence requires an appropriate evening gown.

Miss & Teen Miss Clothing Requirements

Interview: Black Dress Pants & Blouse of Choice

Stage Presence: Appropriate Evening Gown

Verbal Communication (Miss only): Opening Number Outfit

Opening Number: Black Dress Pants, White Blouse of Choice, Black Heels, Rhinestone Earrings.

Little Miss Walton County - First Time First Graders

Contestants must be a **resident of** or **attend school** in **Walton County.**

Little Miss DeFuniak Springs - First Time First Graders

Contestants must be a **resident of** or **attend school** in **DeFuniak Springs.**

Little Miss Contestants will compete in Interview, Stage Presence, and Final Question competitions. For interview, wear a Sunday dress. Stage Presence requires an appropriate short or long pageant dress. **No Heirlooms. No make up allowed.**

NOTE: A minimum of 3 qualified contestants must participate in each of the National Peanut preliminaries in order to qualify.

ENTRY FEES

- Early Bird Special **Due November 18**
  $60.00 Double Pageant Package
  both pageants & 1 free photogenic
  $50.00 Individual Pageant
  one pageant & 1 free photogenic
- $65.00 Double Pageant Package (includes both pageants)
- $55.00 Entry Fee For Individual Pageant For All Ages
- $25.00 Optional Photogenic (2 photos)
- $30.00 Whole Contestant Good Luck Page
- $20.00 Half Contestant Good Luck Page

All entry fees and registration form are due by **December 16**. Please make all checks or money orders payable to **Walton High School.**

Entry fees can be mailed to:
Krislynn Phillips
c/o Walton High School
449 Walton Road
DeFuniak Springs, Florida 32433

HOW TO CONTACT PAGEANT STAFF

Website: whspageants.weebly.com
(no www's in front of web address)

Check us out on Facebook.
Just search for Miss Walton County and Miss Defuniak Springs Pageants and like our page to receive updates.

Krislynn Phillips
Work: 850-892-1270 ext. 4427
Cell: 850-865-9282
Email: krislynn.phillips@walton.k12.fl.us

Madison Huff
Work: 850-892-1270 ext. 4454
Cell: 850-333-7110
Email: madison.huff@walton.k12.fl.us

Regina Uhland
Cell: 850-419-1827

David Pert
Email: pertd@walton.k12.fl.us

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

All rehearsals will be held at the Walton High School Auditorium in DeFuniak Springs, Florida.

Wednesday, November 18
Early Bird Deadline-Entry Fee, Registration Form, and Good Luck Page Designs Due

Wednesday, December 16
Entry Fee, Registration Form, and Good Luck Page Designs Due

Sunday, January 24
Future Little Miss Orientation, Photo Shoot, & Practice
1:30 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Young Miss & Junior Miss Orientation, Photo Shoot, & Practice
2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Miss, Teen Miss, & Little Miss Orientations, Photo Shoot
3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Little Miss Practice
3:45 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Miss Written Communication
4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Miss & Teen Miss Practice
4:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, January 26
Future Little Miss Rehearsal
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
Young Miss Rehearsal
6:30 p.m. - 7:30. p.m.
Junior Miss Rehearsal
7:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

Wednesday, January 27
Little Miss Rehearsal
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
Miss & Teen Miss Rehearsal
6:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

Thursday, January 28
Little Miss Rehearsal
5:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
Miss & Teen Miss Rehearsal
6:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.

Saturday, January 30
Afternoon Session
Future Little, Young Miss, Junior Miss Arrival Time
12:00 p.m.
Pageant Begins at 1:00 p.m.
Evening Session
Miss, Teen Miss, & Little Miss
Arrival Time - Scheduled Interview Time.
Miss & Teen Miss Production Rehearsal - After Interviews
Pageant Begins at 7:00 pm.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Pageant Forms

The registration brochure needed to enter the pageant can be downloaded from the following website:

http://whspageants.weebly.com

Miss, Teen Miss, and Little Miss biography forms can be found here as well. One copy of the biography form must be provided. These forms are due on Thursday, January 28, at rehearsal.

Optional Photogenic Competition

Contestants may enter the optional photogenic competition. For photogenic enter 2 photographs for $25.00. Photos must be an 8 x 10 and must be in a protective covering. All photogenic pictures are due on the following dates:

Miss, Teen Miss, and Little Miss on **January 28**

Future Little, Young Miss, and Junior Miss on **January 26**

Photos will be returned at the end of the pageant. Pick them up outside the dressing room.

Photographs for Program Book

All contestants **MUST ATTEND** their orientation at their age grroups' scheduled time. A parent or guardian must accompany **ALL** contestants to orientation. All pictures for the program book will be taken at each age group's orientation. **Please wear a Sunday dress and have hair and makeup done to be ready for your picture.**

No other photographs will be used.

Pageant Competition

Personal Interview (Miss, Teen Miss, & Little Miss only)- Contestants will speak with the judges individually.

Written Communication (Miss only) - A timed extemporaneous essay.

Stage Presence (All Contestants) - A pageant dress is required. Contestants will be judged on poise & personality. Also, contestants will answer a questions based on the information from their bio sheet.

Verbal Communication (Miss only)- Contestants answer a question provided by the judges and drawn from a fish bowl. This will be done in opening number attire.

Final Question (Miss, Teen, Junior, Young & Little) - A question selected by the judges and askked to each contestant in the age group.



PRIZES

All Winners

Crown, Banner, & Trophy

All Runners-Up, Photogenic Winners, & Viewers Choice Winners

All Receive a Trophy

DOUBLE PAGEANT INFORMATION

1. All contestants who attend school in or have a DeFuniak Springs address qualify for the double pageant for the following categories: Miss, Teen Miss, Little Miss, Junior Miss, Young Miss, & Future Little Miss.
2. Contestants may still choose to enter only one of the pageants. The double pageant package is optional.
3. Contestants cannot win the title for both categories. The DeFuniak Springs titles are awarded first.
4. There will be only one Photogenic & Viewers Choice Award given for each age group.

CONTESTANT GOOD LUCK PAGES

Parents, friends, and family can buy a good luck page for their favorite contestant. The Whole Good Luck Page costs $30.00, and the Half Good Luck Page costs $20.00. These pages can feature personalized messages from friends and family. The Good Luck Pages will be printed in black and white in the program book. To purchase, just check the size you would like to purchase and send in the money with your registration form. Your design must be sent electronically in jpeg format to **madison.huff@walton.k12.fl.us** by D**ecember 16.**

Registration Form

Fill Out This Form As Completely As Possible. Return with Entry Fees.

Name: _____

Parents: _____

Birth Date: _____ Age: _____ Grade: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP Code: _____

Phone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

Category: Please Circle One. Make Sure to Check Grade Requirements.

FUTURE LITTLE:	**YOUNG:**	**JUNIOR:**	**LITTLE:**	**TEEN:**	**MISS:**
PreK & Kindergarten	7, 8, & 9	10, 11, & 12	All First Time First Graders	13, 14, & 15	16, 17, 18, & 19 by October 14, 2027

Entry Fees

_____ $60.00 *Double Pageant Early Bird Special (Due November 18)*
_____ $50.00 *Walton County Early Bird Special (Due November 18)*
_____ $50.00 *DeFuniak Springs Early Bird Special (Due November 18)*
_____ $65.00 Double Pageant Package
_____ $55.00 Entry Fee for only Walton County
_____ $55.00 Entry Fee for only DeFuniak Springs
_____ $30.00 Whole Contestant Good Luck Page
_____ $20.00 Half Contestant Good Luck Page
_____ $25.00 Optional Photogenic (2 photos)
_____ Total Due

SPECIAL!!
Double
Pageant Package
for **$60**
Save $40

Extracurricular Activities:

_____

_____

_____

Future Plans:

_____

_____

_____

Honors & Awards:

_____

_____

_____

Hobbies or Interests:

_____

_____

_____

Community Service:

_____

_____

Sponsor(s):

_____

_____