



## Bratwurst Festival, Inc.

*On the streets of Beautiful Downtown Bucyrus, Ohio  
The Bratwurst Capital of America!*

August 17<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>h</sup>, & 19<sup>th</sup>, 2017

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Board President

**Larry West**  
Festival Director

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Assistant Festival Director

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Princess Pageant Coordinator

# 2017 Princess Pageant Application Packet

A Get Acquainted Tea will be held on Thursday, June 22 , at 6:30 pm.at the Crawford County Council on Aging, located at 200 S. Spring St.

To be eligible to run for Bratwurst Festival Princess, the candidate's (custodial) parent(s) must be a resident of Crawford County for 1 year prior to August 1, 2017. Candidate must be between the ages of 11-13 on or before August 1, 2017. Candidate must also have a German costume which will be worn to the Bratwurst Festival and other Festival events. See Rules and Regulations page for more information.

The Princess committee reserves the right to NOT accept any applicant who does not meet these qualifications. Giving false information will result in disqualifying a candidate at any time. Judging will be based on a personal interview, personality, poise, German costume, and on stage presence.

**Mandatory Practices** (at least one parent must attend each practice with candidate)

Get Acquainted Tea    Thursday, June 22 at 6:30 (Located at the Council on Aging)  
June Practice            Thursday, June 29 at 6:30 (Located at the Council on Aging)  
July Practice             Thursday, July 27 at 6:30 (Located at the Council on Aging)  
August 16, 2017 (evening before the festival on stage practice)

Resumes must be received postmarked on or before June 15, 2017.

Resumes should be mailed to:

**Bratwurst Festival, Inc.**  
**Attn: Princess Committee**  
**330 S. Sandusky Ave.**  
**Bucyrus, Ohio 44820**

## Rules and Regulations

- Candidate must be a current resident of Crawford County and enrolled in one of the Crawford County Schools at least 1 year prior to August 2017, and must be between the ages of 11-13 on or before August 1, 2017.
- Attendance is required at all meetings set by Princess Committee. The only exception is family emergency, a scheduled family vacation, or a school function-Notify Princess Chairperson immediately.
- Candidates selected may not hold another Ohio Festivals & Events Association title during their reign.
- Candidate must have a traditional German costume which will be worn to the Bratwurst Festival and other Festival events. Candidates must wear white hose and black shoes (preferably flats) as part of their costume.
- Contestant pictures will be taken at a date determined by the Princess Committee
- Cell phone use is strictly prohibited during the day of interviews and the pageant. Contestants will be disqualified from participating in the event and dismissed from the pageant. In case of an emergency, the names and contact numbers will be given at the first meeting.

### **Judging will be based on two aspects: interview and on stage during pageant.**

- Interviews will be held at The Bucyrus Public Library Thursday, August, 17, 2017. Your interview time will be given to you during one of the practices. Interview judging will be based on personality, poise and German costume.
- The pageant will be held at 3:30 pm on the Rensselaer St. stage. Candidates will be judged on personality, German costume, and will answer one (random) question on stage.

## Princess and Court Rules and Regulations

- The Bratwurst Festival Princess court will attend an informational meeting on Friday morning of the Festival at 9:00 am. Both parents of a court member must attend to sign contracts.
- During the Bratwurst Festival, the Princess and her court will become solely dedicated to the Festival for participation in all events on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday. A schedule of events will be given to the Princess and Court and their parents.
- The Princess and her court will travel to 3 area festivals; Crestline Harvest Festival, Marion Popcorn Festival, and Tiffin Heritage Festival. They will appear in the parade and attend a luncheon (if both aspects are offered.) The Princess and court must conduct themselves in a manner that will promote a positive image for themselves, the Bratwurst Festival, and the City of Bucyrus.
- The Princess and court will be chaperoned by members of the Bratwurst Festival Board of Directors, Princess Committee, or chaperones, and /or parents appointed and approved by the Bratwurst Festival Board of Directors.

330 S. Sandusky Ave.

Bucyrus, Ohio 44820

419-562-BRAT (2728)

<https://www.bucyrusbratwurstfestival.com>

## Candidate Information Sheet

Candidate's Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Candidate's Address \_\_\_\_\_

Mother's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ May we text this number? Yes/No

Father's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ May we text this number? Yes/No

Additional Emergency Contact \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

The candidate and her parents agree that the time, manner, and method of the judging are solely within the discretion of the judges and that their decision will be final. By signing the Princess Pageant resume, and returning by June 15, 2017, you are agreeing to the rules set forth by Bratwurst Festival, Inc. and the Princess Pageant Committee.

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Candidate Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Candidate Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mother Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Mother Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Father Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Father Printed Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

# 2017 Bratwurst Festival Princess Resume

**\*\* Please Print CLEARLY in Blue or Black ink. This sheet will be given to the judges\*\***

Candidate's FIRST Name ONLY: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Entering Grade for 2017-2018 school year: \_\_\_\_\_

Please List the Following:

Favorite School Subject(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Sports/Lessons/Activities: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Favorite Vacation: \_\_\_\_\_

Hobbies and/or pastimes: \_\_\_\_\_

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Collections: \_\_\_\_\_

Family: \_\_\_\_\_

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Pets: \_\_\_\_\_

